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JEROME ACQUITTED; APOLOGY TENDERED

Hearing at Coaticook on Gambling Charge Lasts Less Than Hour

COURTROOM CROWDED WITH HOSTILE PEOPLE

Magistrate's Remarks Have Sobering Effect on Partisans in Quebec Town

EVIDENCE SHOWED NO REASON FOR CHARGE

Coaticook, Que., Sept. 9.—William Travers Jerome was acquitted last night on the charge of having gambled on Thursday last on the station property of the Grand Trunk Railway while waiting on the immigration authorities to pass on the case of Harry K. Thaw. In discharging him the court apologized for the humiliation to which he had been subjected.

The hearing before Magistrate Mulvena, of Sherbrooke, lasted less than an hour. It began at 7.35 o'clock and at 8.30 the court said: "Sir, you are honorably discharged."

An attempt to hold an afternoon session failed because the magistrate felt he had no authority to take precedence over James McKee, the justice of the peace, who signed the warrant for Mr. Jerome's arrest. Last night, however, the magistrate said he was convinced of his authority to act and the hearing moved with dispatch.

Townpeople packed the courtroom when the hearing was opened. Jerome looked straight at the court and did not glance at the throng, which plainly was hostile.

"In rendering judgment I shall be very brief," said Magistrate Mulvena. "I believe every right-minded man in Canada regrets and feels humiliation at the indignity which has been placed upon you. It is excusable neither in law nor in fact. The evidence adduced at this hearing gives no reason for the charge which was laid against you nor for the indignities which you have suffered."

"I believe, in all the circumstances, you will not attribute the apparent offence offered you while in a friendly country in the discharge of your duty as a public officer to the real thinking people of this community. You are, sir, honorably acquitted."

Mr. Jerome's acquittal was the chief topic to-day among three thousand residents of Coaticook, though opinion was divided as to the verdict. The scathing remarks of Magistrate Mulvena had a sobering effect, and even those who had been most bitterly opposed to Jerome in his efforts to get Harry K. Thaw back to Montreal were inclined to admit that the court action had cleared the air and straightened out a situation which had grown embarrassing.

Accompanied by Deputy Attorney-General Franklin Kennedy, Jerome is on his way to Albany, N. Y., by motor to-day. He will return to Montreal by rail on Sunday next, preparatory to Thaw's production Monday before the king's bench on a writ of habeas corpus.

NEW HAVEN ROAD WOULD ISSUE \$67,000,000 BONDS

Boston, Mass., Sept. 9.—Howard Elliott, the new president of the New Haven road, appeared before the Massachusetts public service commission to-day to support the petition of the road for permission to issue \$67,000,000 debenture bonds. Mr. Elliott said that the issue was necessary in order that the company might refund part of its floating debt, purchase steel cars and install an improved signal system.

DIAZ TO MEET UNGLE

Berlin, Sept. 9.—General Felix Diaz, who two weeks ago definitely announced his candidacy for the presidency of Mexico, left Berlin to-day for Switzerland. Later he will go to Biarritz to meet his uncle, ex-President Porfirio Diaz.

BATS INVADE WASHINGTON SENATE CHAMBER WHEN MEMBERS ARE ENDING TARIFF DEBATE

Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—Bats, a black-winged flock of them, invaded the senate early to-day while it was struggling toward a belated adjournment in the tariff debate and created a small panic. The excitement was mainly confined to the press gallery lounging room, but two bats, more daring than their companions, flew into the senate chamber before the doors could be closed. Several women in the visitors' gallery made hasty exits, pawing at their back hair as they fled.

James D. Preston, superintendent of the press gallery, was the first to discover the intruders. They appeared in a black swarm, and for a moment Mr. Preston considered thoughtfully whether he should dive under his desk

ST. LOUIS FLYER IS WRECKED AT WYLLIE

Six Coaches, Engine and Tender Derailed When Traveling 55 Miles an Hour

CONFLICTING REPORTS ON LIST OF CASUALTIES

Farmers Telephone Many Are Killed and Doctors Sent From New Madison

RAISED RAIL GIVEN AS CAUSE OF SMASH

New Madison, Ohio, Sept. 9.—Later to-day the list of injured is given as thirty-five passengers and three of the crew, the latter being fatally hurt. Two are firemen who were crushed and scalded and the other is the engineer, who has sustained a severe scalp wound. There were 73 passengers on the train.

Richmond, Ind., Sept. 9.—Six coaches, the engine and tender were derailed on the wreck of the St. Louis flyer on the Pennsylvania Railroad to-day when it struck a raised rail at Wyllie station, twelve miles from here. In one Pullman and a day coach perhaps thirty persons were injured, those in the day coach being mostly seriously hurt. The Pullman was the only white person seriously hurt. Two coaches were reported demolished. The train was travelling at a high rate of speed.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 9.—A long distance telephone message from Wyllie stated that no one was killed but that twelve persons were seriously injured and about a dozen suffered minor hurts. None of the coaches nor the engine turned completely over, according to this information.

New Madison, Ohio, Sept. 9.—Reports reaching here are that thirty-five to forty persons have been injured in the wreck of the Pennsylvania fast passenger train five miles west of this city. Farmers telephoned here that many were killed. The train was running fifty-five miles an hour. Reports of death have not been confirmed. All doctors here have been rushed to Wyllie station, five miles west of here.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 9.—At the office of Supt. Reynolds a dispatch tells of the wreck of the St. Louis flyer at Wyllie station, saying all cars except the observation coach are in the ditch. No information concerning dead or injured.

New York, Sept. 9.—The Pennsylvania flyer, consisting of ten steel cars, left here last night at 6.30 with berths all filled and was due to St. Louis at 6.30 to-night. The train usually consists of nine cars, but another was added owing to the heavy traffic. Her dining car was taken off at Harrisburg, Pa., and replaced by a sleeping car from Washington.

FIGHT FOLLOWS WHEN STRIKERS REPLACED

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 9.—Five hundred core makers employed at the foundry of the Commonwealth Steel Company at Granite City, Ill., struck to-day. Men from a colony of foreigners rushed to take their places and a riot resulted in which several were hurt.

The strike was the culmination of a series of alleged grievances on the part of the employees of the mills. The men complained that they had been unjustly treated by watchmen. No demand for a wage increase was made.

CURRENCY BILL REPORTED.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—The administration currency reform bill as approved by the Democratic caucus was reported to the House to-day from the committee on banking and currency by Chairman Glavin.

or lead a charge against the night visitors. He chose the latter course. "Up men and at 'em," he cried, starting into activity a score of heavy-eyed correspondents waiting for the flow of senatorial oratory to cease. At the same time Mr. Preston, wielding a copy of the revised statutes as a club, brought down his first bat.

The correspondents, arming themselves with canes folded in newspapers, and other weapons, joined in the fray. Cleaners to-day carried out the cold remains of nearly a score of the creatures and drove out nearly twice as many into the sunlight.

The animals are supposed to have come from beneath the overhanging eaves of the senate end of the capitol, attracted by the lights.

HUDSON'S BAY STORE AT CALGARY IS SIMILAR TO BUILDING FOR VICTORIA



PEARY RECORDS IN ARCTIC ARE FOUND

Government of Denmark Sends Papers Back to Explorer

New York, Sept. 9.—General Thomas H. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic Club, made public to-day the news of a return by a Dane of important records left by Admiral Peary in the polar regions.

The government of Denmark, through its minister to the United States, has sent to Admiral Peary the record he deposited in a cairn at Navy Cliff on the northwest coast of Greenland in July, 1902. Twenty years later in July, 1912, the record was recovered by the Danish explorer Knud Rasmussen.

The first crossing of Greenland from west to east was made by Peary in 1902. He and his only companion, Elvid Astrup, completed the cairn on Navy Cliff and placed in it a record, leaving a request printed on its back in various languages that its under note the time and place of finding, and forward it to an indicated destination. Rasmussen found the cairn in 1912, took Peary's record from it, noted that it was taken July 22, 1902, and delivered to his government.

WEALTHY WOMAN'S DEATH SURROUNDED BY MYSTERY

Coroner's Jury Fails to Learn Reason for Tragedy at Lake Michigan

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 9.—Friends and neighbors of Mrs. Walter B. Smith, wealthy society woman of Lake Forest, Ill., whose body, with a cord around the neck, was found yesterday in Lake Michigan, to-day were unable to offer any satisfactory explanation of the case. The coroner's inquest, which was held late last night, failed to throw any additional light on the mystery.

Inquiry regarding the actions of Mrs. Smith yesterday revealed that before walking to the lake shore she had seemed to be in the best of health and spirits.

Mrs. Smith, who was Florence McCullough, was married to Walter B. Smith, June 6, 1905. She was the daughter of Hiram E. McCullough, vice-president of the Chicago & North-western Railroad.

DIES FROM FAILURE OF HEART FLYING IN AIR

Berlin, Sept. 9.—Dr. Ringo, a German aviator, was killed to-day while competing for a distance prize. The aviator ascended at Johannisthal. After flying a few miles his machine suddenly collapsed and fell to the ground from a height of 800 feet.

The autopsy showed that Dr. Ringo, who was physically weak, was stricken by heart disease while in the air and that in all probability he was dead when the aeroplane began to fall.

COMMISSIONER HERE ON STORE BUSINESS

H. E. Burbidge, of Hudson's Bay Company, Comes in Connection With Block

H. E. Burbidge, stores commissioner for the Hudson's Bay company, arrived in Victoria last night. It is understood that while here he will arrange the contract for the excavation of the new Hudson's Bay department store to be erected on Douglas street on the property where formerly stood the St. John's church.

The store has previously been announced and will eventually be ten stories in height. It is, however, not intended to erect the full ten stories from the beginning. The company will erect four storeys under contract to be let soon, and the upper floors are to be added when the company considers the business is sufficient to make the extra room necessary.

The handsome illustration given shows the Calgary store of the company which was opened by the lieutenant-governor of Alberta last month, and gives an indication of the appearance of the Victoria store when it will be completed in the future.

LONG JOURNEY MADE TO RESCUE INJURED MAN

Messenger Goes Twenty Miles Then Summons Aid by Telegraph From Neah Bay

Port Townsend, Wash., Sept. 9.—Harry Truedell, of the United States coast and geodetic survey, operating in the vicinity of the Hoh river, in western Jefferson county, fell forty feet from a fir tree and remained unconscious four hours before assistance arrived.

Mr. Truedell was sent to place a survey signal in the top of a fir tree. A party was sent to search for him and found him unconscious. A messenger was dispatched twenty miles to a telegraph office to summon medical aid from Neah Bay.

Dr. Woods boarded the life-saving steamer and started for the mouth of the Hoh river, where a boat was sent inside to convey the injured man aboard. When the boat was returning a high sea was breaking across the mouth of the river, the boat filling with water, but with heroic efforts the Snohomish was reached and all speed was made until Port Angeles was reached, where Mr. Truedell was placed in a hospital and is now hovering between life and death. His home is at Marble Mount, this state.

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Heat is given as the cause of the official's indisposition.

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MANIFESTO CALLS MEXICANS TO RISE AND SWEEP BACK INVASION FROM NORTH

Entire Company of Federal Soldiers Executed After Severe Fight Near San Buena Ventura Is Reported Officially

Piedras Negras, Mexico, Sept. 9.—A manifesto which constitutionalists claim is an attempt of the Huerta government to gain recruits by intimating that Mexico is in danger of invasion from the United States was received here to-day. It calls on Mexicans to arise and sweep back the certain invasion from the north. It is alleged to have been issued by the Huerta administration.

Constitutionalists also make public a letter to Col. Murugia, a leader in Saturday's battle when constitutionalists defeated federalists at San Buena Ventura, inviting Murugia to desert to the federalists. This letter, signed by Col. Antonio Escoto, of the federal forces at Monclova, mentioned the almost certain breaking of relations with the neighboring republic on the north, and the need for the united help of all good citizens to preserve the respectability of Mexico.

The execution of an entire company of federal soldiers captured after a severe fight near San Buena Ventura was officially reported to constitutionalist headquarters to-day by Col. Villareal, in command of a large body of insurgents operating about Monclova.

EXCHANGE MILITANT FOR HARRY K. THAW

London, Sept. 9.—"Will Mrs. Pankhurst resist the allurements of corn, clam broth and succotash, and if so how will the government of the land of freedom treat her?" asks the Pall Mall Gazette, commenting approvingly to-day on a report that the American authorities "very wisely" have decided to arrest the militant suffragette leader on her arrival in New York in October.

The newspaper suggests that the United States government might propose to exchange Mrs. Pankhurst for Harry K. Thaw.

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18 APPOINTED CONSUL

Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—Alexander M. Thackara, consul-general at Berlin, has been selected for the post of consul-general at Paris.

SENATE IS VOTING UPON TARIFF BILL

After Sixteen-Hour Session Debate Was Adjourned Until 4 o'Clock To-day

MEMBERS SAT UNTIL TWO THIS MORNING

Cattle and Wheat to Enter United States Free of Duty

AMERICAN SHIPS ITEM HAS BUT ELEVEN VOTES

Washington, Sept. 9.—The senate sat until 2 o'clock this morning debating the remaining clauses of the bill. The session had lasted sixteen hours, and during its progress important clauses including free wool and free sugar were disposed of. It was agreed between both sides of the senate at 2 a. m. that the vote should be taken at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The Republicans gave up hope of carrying any amendments and permitted many of the votes to be taken without roll-call. When the fight over agricultural products opened, Senators Thornton and Randall, of Louisiana, Democrats, joined Republicans in voting against the low duties of the Democratic bill. An amendment by Senator Bristow for a fifteen per cent. duty on cattle, swine, sheep and other domestic animals was defeated, 33 to 29. The Senate committee's action in cutting off the free list on duty on cattle fixed by the House bill and putting them on the free list was then ratified, 31 to 28. Senator McCumber led the fight against free wheat. The House bill imposed a duty of ten cents a bushel, but the Senate committee transferred the item to the free list. An amendment by Senator McCumber for a fifteen per cent. duty was defeated, 25 to 29. Senator Jones made further attempts to have retained in the bill the House provision for a five per cent. reduction in duty on all goods imported in American ships. He mustered only eleven Republicans to his support, however, and the provision was removed. Many of the foreign governments had protested against it.

WELL KNOWN CATTLE MAN IS FOUND DEAD

James Patterson Who Took First Big Herd to Alberta Found Shot

McLeod, Alta., Sept. 9.—With a bullet from a revolver through his head, the body of James Patterson, one of the most widely known cattle men in Canada, was found on J. Franklin's ranch eighteen miles south of McLeod. The authorities consider it a case of suicide. Mr. Patterson was 62 years of age, and was born in Waco, Texas. He is said to have brought the first big herd of cattle into Alberta, thirty years ago. For six years he was inspector of brands at the west end stock yards in Winnipeg, and has been connected with the cattle industry in various ways. He was judge of fancy and trick roping at the recent stampede in Winnipeg, and had since that time been contemplating going into the ranching business with Mr. Franklin. He has been in poor health.

DAILY MAIL COMMENTS ON RAILWAY'S RETURNS

Criticism of Canadian Pacific Method of Giving Figures on Traffic Business

London, Sept. 9.—Following comments which have previously been made on the manner in which the Canadian Pacific railway issues traffic details to the public, the Daily Mail to-day criticizes the July returns, and asks whether it would not be possible to issue more accurate returns.

Up to the end of July the returns of the gross earnings showed an aggregate decrease of \$497,000 since July 1. When the net earnings statement for July was issued on August 29 the gross earnings for July showed a decrease of only \$59,000, showing, according to the Mail, that the weekly returns had been underestimated by \$438,000, or over -687,000. "Not only that," says the Mail, "but the company continues publishing these inaccurate figures even after they have been revised." The article asks why they should not include only the revised decrease of \$59,000 for July, and say the aggregate was revised to the end of July.

The other case is that of Jeanette Norman, a vaudeville actress who was employed at a local amusement park. She disappeared on August 31. That is the date of a newspaper found with the remains.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER.

Chicago, Sept. 9.—Mrs. Alice Davis Sing, white wife of Charles Sing, wealthy Chinese merchant, who was found murdered in his home several days ago, was formally booked to-day on a charge of murder. She is being held without bail. The complainant is Frank Sing Low, a brother of the murdered man.

The woman was questioned for hours by the police, but declined to speak of the crime, except to declare her innocence.

BUILDING FOR REGINA.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 9.—The purchase of a site for a \$200,000 customs building in Regina was authorized by an order-in-council passed yesterday. The building will be located at the southeast corner of South Railway and Cornwall streets.

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PROSPERITY NOTED THROUGHOUT CANADA

Sir Marchant Williams' Party Impressed by Facts Noted East to West

Vancouver, Sept. 9.—Sir Marchant Williams, the famous Welshman, and his party, departed for Montreal last night after spending several days on the coast, during which they enjoyed themselves thoroughly. With Sir Marchant were Sir John Courtis, an alderman and former lord mayor of Cardiff, and William Davis, a director of three of the largest newspapers in Wales.

Sir Marchant, who is famous as one of the leading educationalists in Wales, yesterday said he was taking the opportunity of studying the college and university system of Canada, but the real object of the visit of the party was to study Canadian development and the country's possibilities.

Sir Marchant said there are lots of people in Wales who are anxious to come to Canada, and it is the desire of the members of the party to be in a position to give reliable information of this country. Probably what has most impressed the party is the general air of prosperity which extends from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast, and in spite of a time when the money stringency is not altogether passed.

In addition to his educational activities, Sir Marchant Williams is distinguished as an author, and for years he has been editor of the Nationalist. Among the well known publications to his credit are "Land of My Fathers," "The Missing Member," "A Volume of Welsh Lyrics," "Welsh Members of Parliament," "An English Grammar."

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INDIA TRADE PLAN MEETS WITH FAVOR

Commerce Congress at Delhi to Discuss Industrial Advancement of Country

Calcutta, India, Sept. 9.—India is steadily emerging from the status of a purely or largely agricultural country. Up to 10 years ago its commercial and industrial development was largely in the hands of foreigners, but since the partition of Bengal in 1905, there has been manifested a strong tendency towards the establishment of industrial and commercial concerns run by native enterprise.

The movement, however, was fatally handicapped by its political animus, and its main object being the effective boycott and destruction of British enterprise in India, it speedily collapsed. It had the effect, however, of turning the thoughts of the Indian middle class into channels of commerce and industry to a far greater extent than before, and the result is that to-day many hundreds of Indians who formerly had no career open to them except in medicine, the law, or government service, are engaging in engineering, manufacturing and other pursuits intimately connected with the economic and industrial development of their country.

Hundreds of Indians emigrate every year to Europe, America and Japan, in order to fit themselves for a commercial career, and these men as they return to their native land bring with them progressive ideas and enlightened methods which must in time revolutionize the whole aspect of Indian affairs, economically, socially and politically.

Sir Fazalbhai Currimbhoy, a leading Bombay merchant, now writes to the Times of India proposing that a congress should be held for the purpose of promoting the interests of Indian commerce. The congress which he proposes is intended primarily to promote the interests of Indian commerce pure and simple, but it will also welcome representatives of Anglo-Indian interests and of other interests connected with the economic progress of India.

Sir Fazalbhai Currimbhoy proposes that the first meeting of this congress should take place at Delhi, the new imperial capital, but the Times of India, while approving of the scheme generally, considers that the objects of the promoters would be furthered by holding it in the next place at Bombay, the second meeting place being Calcutta.

CANADIAN CLUB HAS SAMUEL FOR GUEST

British Postmaster Heard on Patriotism at Winnipeg by 1,200 Members.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 9.—If you are proud to be members of the British Empire, as I believe you are, we in the Mother Country are no less proud to count you as such," was the declaration of the Rt. Hon. H. L. Samuel, British postmaster-general, speaking to 1,200 members of the Canadian Club at a luncheon in the Manitoba Hall yesterday.

Pointing out that the English Liberal party had discarded "Little Englandism," and that Cobden had never determined the policy of that party, he emphasized the fact that the age when the Dominions or colonies used to be regarded with indifference in the Old Country had passed absolutely.

The people of Great Britain were cordially in sympathy with the vigorous and active democracies in the new countries, and he was convinced that when Ireland got Home Rule that he might see the people of that country as proud of their country, as sympathetic to the great Dominions and rendering as useful service as any other portion of the United Kingdom to the progress and welfare of the Dominions over the sea.

While he did not desire to interfere in any degree with the management of their own Canadian affairs, they would believe him, he said, when he stated that at home, in Great Britain, Canada was much in the minds of all the people.

Following the luncheon at the Canadian Club at noon, Mr. Samuel and Hon. L. Pelletier were driven about the city and in the evening were guests at a dinner given by Lieutenant-Governor Cameron.

WILL GIVE ATTENTION TO ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 9.—Word comes from Ottawa that Col. Sam Hughes, minister of militia, will give attention to Royal Military College this autumn. The syllabus he regards as anything but educational, while the military staff is not up to the mark in his estimation. Before the minister left for England he sent for the acting commandant, Col. Wood, and Prof. Iva E. Martin, and told them how things should be. He would have Prof. Martin appointed director of studies and to rearrange the syllabus. Some military professors, it is said, give scarcely a lecture to cadets, merely outlining the practical work to be done and leaving the instruction to those under them.

EXHIBITION PROFITS.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 9.—The city will receive \$55,000 this year from the Canadian National exhibition as its share of the receipts. Last year the profits were \$42,000.

POLICEMAN HONORED.

Paris, Sept. 8.—Edmond Rousset, a river policeman, was decorated with the Legion of Honor to-day. During his service on the waterfront he has saved twenty-eight lives.

Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

CONVICT TAKES GUN AND MAKES ESCAPE

Second Jail Break at Fort Madison in Three Days Arouses Officials

Fort Madison, Ia., Sept. 9.—Securing permission from a guard to get a drink of water, Carl McCleod, a convict from Mystic, last night climbed the central pole of a derrick in the new cellhouse at the state prison, and slid over 100 feet down a guy wire to the wall of the prison. From there he dropped to the ground.

He alighted almost in the arms of a guard. The guard ordered him to throw up his hands and march toward the main entrance. McCleod complied, but after going a short distance suddenly turned, grabbed the rifle from the guard's hands, and a moment later had slid down a forty-foot embankment to safety and freedom. He has not been captured.

This is the second successful prison delivery at Fort Madison within three days. Warden J. C. Sanders and other penitentiary officials are greatly aroused, as are also most of the prisoners.

The prisoners have pledged themselves to do all in their power to locate the escaped convicts and prevent repetitions of the deliveries.

Harold Masden, the guard who gave McCleod permission to get a drink, has been discharged.

Guard Hansen, from whom the convict grabbed the gun and escaped, is under investigation.

BEST CROP EVER HAD SUPERINTENDENT SAYS

Six Hundred and Ten Cars Pass Inspection at City of Winnipeg.

Ottawa, Sept. 9.—The best crop I have ever seen in the West," is the opinion of W. H. Scott, superintendent of immigration, who has just returned from an extensive trip of the Western provinces.

Mr. Scott's opinion is derived from his personal observations, and from conversations with friends and elevator men.

"Some say that it is the best all-around crop ever seen here," said Mr. Scott. "While old-timers express the opinion that it is the best since 1887."

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 9.—Six hundred and ten cars of the new season grain were inspected in Winnipeg yesterday.

Up to date, the Canadian Pacific has loaded 1,150 cars of grain on its Western lines, and the opinion has been expressed that the movement will be a record one. There were 314 cars loaded on Saturday alone, while 466,000 bushels of wheat were marketed, and 103,000 bushels of other grains.

TRAINS ARE MOVING ONCE MORE ON C. P. R.

Vancouver, Sept. 9.—All trains held up on the main line of the C. P. R. by slides are now on their way east and west.

The population of Field, the town nearest the slide which occurred between Paliser and Glenogle, twenty-five miles west of Field, was increased by the addition of 2,000 passengers, who were held up by the delay.

The slide, which was 300 feet wide and thirty feet deep, was caused by the bursting of an old beaver dam up in the mountains. District Superintendent McKay, at Revelstoke, says that the dam burst under the pressure of heavy rainstorms last week. The stream down which the water rushed is ordinarily so small that a man could step across it.

JAMES MARSHALL OF MINNESOTA FAME DEAD

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 9.—James Marshall, pioneer Minnesotan, who if he had chosen to do so might have written the epic of the wheat in the Northwest in a larger sense than ever the late Frank Morris dreamed it, died yesterday at his home at Lake Minnetonka.

The early years of his life in Minnesota he had passed through experience such as are given only to the pioneer in a wild land, and in his latter years he came to be a notable figure in a mighty division of commerce, the trading side of wheat handling. In the course of this latter life he had been twice honored by election to the highest office in the organization of that trading, the presidency of the Minnesota chamber of commerce.

FEARS FOR HIS HEALTH FROM DAMP AT 106

Paris, Sept. 9.—Pierre Schomelroy, who celebrated his 106th birthday on Monday, has written to the state attorney asking for legal assistance against his landlord on the ground that the apartment which he rents for 275 francs (\$55 a year) is so damp that his health has suffered. He claims 5,000 francs or \$1,000 damages.

This centenarian was born in 1807. He is a son of a grenadier in the Imperial Guards. He saw Napoleon at St. Cloud and later accompanied his father to St. Helena, to which place the former bore secret messages from the Empress to Napoleon. He remembers playing with Napoleon's son, and still has a doll which belonged to Napoleon.

He was an attendant at the Opera until he was 90 years old, when he retired. He lost his savings in speculation and now lives on the 30 cents a day allowed him by the Assistance Publique.

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In the Matter of the Estate of James Bradley Raine, Late of the City of Victoria, B. C., Deceased.

All persons having claims against the above estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of September, 1913, after which date the administratrix will proceed to distribute the said estate according to law, with regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., the 16th day of August, 1913.

ERADSHAW & STACPOOLE
Of 131 Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Administratrix.

NOTICE.

Taylor Mill Company, Ltd. Ly.

All accounts due to the above named Company must be paid forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said Company are required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned.

Dated this 26th day of August, 1913.

WILLIAM MCCARTER,
Managing Director.

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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of Paul J. Wollan, Deceased, Late of Clayoquot, in the Province of British Columbia.

TAKE NOTICE that Probate of the Will of the said deceased has been granted to Bernt Asmeth and Michael J. Haugen, the Executors therein named. AND TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to the "Trustees' and Executors' Act," all creditors and other persons having claims against the Estate are requested to post or deliver to the undersigned on or before the 7th day of September, 1913, full particulars of their claims, duly verified, and the value of the securities, if any, held by them. AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after the said 7th day of September, 1913, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. All parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to the said Executors forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 7th day of August, 1913.

RODWELL & LAWSON,
Solicitors for the Executors, Bernt Asmeth and Michael J. Haugen.
No. 918 Government St., Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that plans, together with a description of the proposed site, for the construction of a logging boom and the driving of piles for booms purposes in the Jordan River, Vancouver Island, in the Province of British Columbia, and at the mouth thereof, have been filed with the Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and with the Registrar General of Titles at Victoria, B. C., and that application will be made to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for the approval thereof.

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for Merrill & King Lumber Co., Limited, Victoria, B. C.
Dated 5th August, 1913.

VICTORIA COUNTRY CLUB, LTD.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the following concessions during the Race Meeting to be held by the Victoria Country Club, Limited, from September 20 to October 11, inclusive, 1913.

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LUNCH STAND.
PEANUTS AND FRUIT.

Tenders must be for each of the above concessions separately, the price to be stated as by the plan of the day. Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque for 25 per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be returned to unsuccessful tenders.

Tenders close on September 12, 1913. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. A. FRASER, Manager.
312 Government St., Victoria, B. C.

THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Pacific Northern and Ontario Railway Company will be held at the head office of the Company, Chancery Chambers, Langley street, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, at 2 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, the 17th day of September, 1913, for the purpose of receiving a report from the Directors, for the election of Directors and the transaction of other business connected with or incident to the undertaking of the Company.

HENRY PHILLIPS,
Secretary,
Montreal, Canada.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Hendry, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of September, 1913.

Dated this 25th day of August, A.D. 1913.

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A CANADIAN.

Occasionally we hear the question querulously put, "What has Canada done for the Empire?" In reply we point to the men, this dominion has produced, the sturdy pioneers who labored in the wilderness; the patriot statesmen who did the spade work in the country's political development; the engineers who designed and constructed her great utilities; the captains of industry who organized her great commercial enterprises, and to be more definite, we point to men like Sir Gilbert Parker, who is the guest of this city at the present moment. Sir Gilbert is an author of world-wide distinction and a public man of note in an atmosphere where prestige comes only to those who are wholly deserving of it. He is conspicuous among those Canadians who have won prominence in the United Kingdom and his intimate knowledge of overseas conditions and affairs has enabled him to contribute to the consideration of wider imperial problems opinions of unquestioned value. Regardless of their political alignment, Canadians are always gratified to note the upward progress of one of their own in other countries, and doubly so when he achieves distinction among the select in the two spheres of literature and politics.

THE SCHOOL BOARD PROSECUTION.

We believe public opinion will support the decision of the Justice of the peace yesterday dismissing the charge against the secretary of the school board of dissuading a member of the teaching staff of the city from the performance of military duty in the strike district. The prosecution should never have been launched. The services of the teacher were required on the opening of school and the board very properly notified the commanding officer to that effect a fortnight previous to the day set for the beginning of the term. In the stress of his duties Colonel Hall inadvertently overlooked the notification and the board received no reply. On Saturday, August 23, two days before school opened, the secretary notified the teacher in question that he would be required at his post and further stated that if he did not return by Thursday his position as first assistant would be filled and that when he did report for duty he would have to take one of the other grades. It was impossible in the short time at the board's disposal to procure a satisfactory substitute, and the circumstances were not such as to justify the closing of the class. Moreover, it should be remembered that the situation in the strike zone was under control. The ringleaders had been arrested and some of the soldiers had been permitted to return to the city. We are informed that some of the militiamen who were members of the Vancouver teaching staff had been given leave to resume their very important duties. We have more than once emphasized the necessity for the presence of the military up the island and the importance of their duties, but we should also bear in mind that the school board has an important duty to discharge and we cannot see how it could have pursued any other course than that which seems to have aroused the resentment of the military authorities. In any event, even if the board technically was liable under the act in consequence of the methods it employed, consideration should have been given to the exceptional circumstances in which it was placed. Prosecutions of this character, too, are unwise, for other reasons which it is not necessary to enter into at this stage.

JAPANESE DEMONSTRATIONS.

The demonstrations at Tokio, following the killing of Japanese at Nanking by Chinese, show how sensitive the subjects of the Mikado are to an affront to their race. The riots on Sunday were not the upshot of the tragedy at Nanking alone. They were outbreaks of the rancor which has been festering in the minds of the people ever since the anti-Japanese land legislation was introduced in California. They do not understand how a ministry can endure calmly such blows at their national honor, and one assassination already has shown the extremity to which they will resort to express their displeasure. In this connection it may be recalled that similar demonstrations occurred when the terms of the treaty of peace with Russia were disclosed and the rioters even went so far as to blow up the battleship Mikasa, the magnificent vessel from which Admiral Togo directed those remarkable naval victories which made him one of the greatest sailors of all time.

It will not be long before the Japanese people demand that their government obtain for them from the powers treatment similar to that extended to the subjects of other nations. They will insist upon the abandonment of discriminatory immigration regulations, and their insistence will be productive of a dangerous situation. Australia is inflexibly committed to a policy of exclusion. Her people are convinced that her very existence as a white dominion makes this imperative. British Columbia and the Pacific states are somewhat similarly placed. This will be the great imperial question of the future as far as Canada, Australia and New Zealand are concerned, and whenever we see the intensity with which the Japanese demand of their government the vindication of the honor of their country, we are impressed with the growing nearness of what will some day prove to be the gravest and most delicate of international problems.

"EXAGGERATION OF EVIL."

The New York Sun is very emphatic in its opinion that the most advanced nations of the present day are suffering from what it describes, very aptly, we think, as an "exaggeration of evil." The moral reformers unquestionably mean well, but there is just a suspicion that too much publicity may be given to their propaganda for the regeneration of humanity. No one will venture to say that there is much that is evil going on in the world and ample scope for the energies of reformers, but at the same time when conditions of to-day are compared with the circumstances of the past as revealed in the pages of history, no unbiased seeker for truth can reach any other conclusion than that the cumulative tendency is in the direction of higher and better things. As our contemporary points out, "At a time when the stage is taken up with exposing the cankers of civilization and our newspapers are devoted to the doings of perverses, when our legislators are settling the laws of national selection for the human species, in these days when almost everybody is either a misfit or an unfit and is being constantly told that insanity is inevitable, it is well to take an account of stocks to results." As a rule the medical profession, which has gathered much wisdom from experience in such matters, maintains a discreet silence on the subject which has become a specialty of platform reformers. Therefore it is all the more interesting to read the opinion of a Dr. Scott, who happens to be mayor of an important city in the United States, who says:

"It is a question whether the investigations and reformatory efforts which now occupy so conspicuous a place in the conduct of our public affairs are accomplishing the results expected. On the other hand, it is certain that great injury is being done communities and individuals by the exaggeration of evil which is so often characteristic of the modern reformers and faddists."

Commenting on this, the Sun says: "As sure as the sun is in the skies, nothing tends more to breed evil and to spread evil than the exaggeration of evil. To dwell and to harp on the wickedness of man leads many a wavering mind to conclude that there is no use trying to be good when every one you hear about is bad. . . . The Elizabethans were far more normal and healthy minded than we are from the very fact that if they were immoral they were at least spontaneous and unconscious about it. . . . Where as our literary and oral reformers have seen to it that every emotion, every sensation, every appetite, is tagged and analyzed. We cannot take a cup of tea without being informed of its hygienic effects. The result is widespread morbidity. . . . If young people are constantly harangued about disease and drunkenness and hereditary vices, is it any wonder that they are abnormally impressionable, full of unwholesome notions about natural processes, nervous? And then like waters breaking a dam they fall headlong into absurd obsessions about themselves, and if they are fortunate arrive at a point where they discover that they are not so terribly bad after

all, but much like their grandfather and their aunt were in their day." We commend these vigorous observations to the attention of certain people who are continually uttering lamentations from the walls in this neighborhood.

DOWN IN THE INDIES.

With the Balkan War, the Mexican trouble and the eruptions in the Far East engrossing its attention, the world has overlooked the revolution in the Dominican Republic. It is not the fault of the revolution that it has been so completely ignored. As revolutions go in that neighborhood, it has some pretensions to prominence and the contending factions have done their best to remind Christendom that they are adhering to the traditions of their country. But nevertheless they have excellent reasons for feeling aggrieved that all their tumultuous happenings until the last day or two have sent no echoes around the world and that Ty Cobb's batting averages have received much more conspicuous display in the headlines.

Santo Domingo is a state in the West Indies which occupies two-thirds of the island of Haiti. After the downfall of the heroic "black Napoleon," Toussaint L'Ouverture, it was part of the Haitian Empire. Subsequently Spain renewed control over the eastern portion of the island until 1821, when a republic was proclaimed embracing the whole island. Later Santo Domingo became an independent republic, and although it has had occasional lapses it has remained one ever since. The last ten years have been noteworthy for the frequency of the revolutions which have become one of the main industries of the island. The present uprising seems to be the outcome of a struggle over provincial rights. Should the revolution succeed there will be three republics on an island of eighteen thousand square miles.

It is a pity these hot-heads are not compelled to behave themselves. Their island has the finest sugar lands in the West Indies. Tobacco and cacao flourish; the mountain regions are especially suited to the culture of tobacco and tropical fruits will grow anywhere with a minimum of attention. There is an abundance of mineral wealth, gold, silver, platinum, manganese, iron, copper, tin, antimony, opals and chalcodony being found, while there are also two remarkable hills composed of pure rock salt.

A correspondent of the London Daily Mail declares that Germany has created a new island in the North Sea. It is guaranteed German make in every particular, the materials being obtained in Germany. Thus human ingenuity brushes aside a source of friction between Great Britain and the Fatherland. Germany wants more territory. She now can have it without going into anybody's back yard. She can create territories, sticking her islands anywhere there is sufficient water to accommodate them. Wonder if those island builders can be induced to plant a few in Seymour Narrows. Thus would the problem of all-rail communication with the Mainland be solved.

In Santo Domingo a dispute over provincial rights is settled by a revolution. In Canada the federal and provincial governments submit a stated case to the Supreme Court, after which an appeal to the Privy Council disposes of the subject. But the proceedings cost enough to finance several Santo Domingo revolutions.

WHY THEY NEED A CHAPLAIN.

A leading American politician recently took his little son to Washington, where they paid a visit to the Senate gallery. The chaplain of the Senate especially interested the youngster, and his father explained the chaplain's office.

"Oh, he prays for the Senate, doesn't he?" asked the lad.

"No," said the politician. "He gets up and takes a look at the Senate and then he prays for the country."

SKILLFUL TACTICS AT SEA.

From the Syracuse Herald.

About the only lucky thing that has happened to the Mexican government in the last year or two is having a warning so small that an aviator was unable to hit it with a bomb.

A PRECOCIOUS GIRL.

From Puck.

Mrs. Coney—Just see little Mary makin' love to little Mollie. Mrs. Kerrigan—God help the poor men when she grows up. She makes love like a widdy already.

DOESN'T HE LOOK FUNNY?

From the Guelph Mercury.

It's a pretty tame picnic when some fifty chap in white duck pants doesn't manage to sit on a new cherry pie.

ALMOST AS DANGEROUS.

From the Weekly Sun.

"It is a criminal offence for operatives on railway trains to be drunk while on duty. The same law should be applied to men, or lads, operating motor cars."

SOON GOT, SOON GONE.

From the Boston Transcript.

"Fame is easier to gain than it used to be." "Yes, but it isn't so lasting."

THE SENSE OF A CHICKEN.

From the Chicago News.

Still, the insane desire, that causes a chicken to cross the road is no worse than that which impels two persons to change seats in a canoe.

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BURGULARS SENTENCED

Young Men Who Broke Into Grocery Store Go to Jail and Penitentiary.

Two young men who broke into a grocery store before were again before the police magistrate this morning on a serious charge. Glenroy Cluness, who failed to take the warning to leave town on Friday when he was up on a vagrancy charge, will now be taken away from the city under arrest to spend the next four years in the penitentiary at New Westminster, and Peter Hansen will put in six months in the provincial jail where he says he has not been yet.

The pair broke into the grocery store of Robert Brinkley at the corner of Quadra and Johnson streets, shortly after midnight on Sunday night and stole a quantity of goods, but while they were walking away with the loot they were seen by Detective Macdonald.

When they were arraigned to-day Cluness pleaded guilty with a smile and Hansen said he was not guilty, trying to make out that so far as he was concerned it was a case of mistaken identity. Detective Macdonald told the court that at half-past one o'clock yesterday morning he saw Hansen and Cluness turn off Discovery street to Douglas. Hansen led with a white package under his arm, followed by Cluness with a sack over his shoulder. He arrested Cluness on Pembroke street at the point of a gun, while Hansen, whom he recognized, dodged under cover of Cluness and got away. In the gunny sack carried by Cluness were a quantity of groceries—jam, coffee, canned fish, crackers and cigarettes. Later in the morning he went back to the store to where he had arrested Cluness. He found portions of a twenty-pound sack of sugar which resembled the package carried by Hansen.

Charles Winchester swore to seeing the two accused together on Johnson street, at the corner of Quadra and proceeding towards Vancouver street, soon after midnight on Sunday. He positively identified Hansen, whom he has known for some years.

Mr. Erskine described how he found the store yesterday morning and itemized the goods he had found missing. A pane of glass 28 inches by 17 inches in the door had been broken.

Detectives Turner and Stellanio arrested Hansen at 9:30 yesterday in Kirby's barn, at the rear of the Woodworkers' mill.

Hansen claimed that he had gone to sleep in the barn at 11 p.m. and that he had not seen Cluness for some days. He denied having told Detective Stellanio that he went to sleep at 9 p.m.

To City Prosecutor Harrison Hansen was rather flippant as to his previous record but this did not prevent it coming out that he has been in the reformatory and has served several short terms for various offences in the city jail.

The record of Cluness includes a three-year term for burglary, three months for burglary in Nanaimo, six months for vagrancy in Nanaimo, and suspended sentence with deportation in Portland for vagrancy, and in Seattle for burglary.

OUR WISE WAR EXPERTS.

(Montreal Herald.)

Lloyd-George told an audience of bankers at the Mansion House that Europe was in no danger from the Balkan troubles. He'd better not try to fool the Canadian experts with that sort of stuff. They know better.

A PROPHECY.

(London Advertiser.)

The Dominion government is trying to strangle the remnant of the Canadian naval organization, but the Canadian navy principle will yet do the same for the government.

To-Morrow Will Be Another Exceptionally Interesting Day in the Millinery and Mantle Departments

New Fall Millinery---Exclusive Models

YOU will find our assortment of new Fall Millinery very wide and authoritative and while we do not attempt at giving descriptions of the many new shapes and styles here, a visit to the department will reveal the following special features: Small shapes; soft, collapsible crowns; draped effects; soft fabric frills and high trimming. Aigrettes and ostrich are in the lead for trimmings and those in the two-tone effects are mostly favored and are shown in exquisite new blends. Wings are also freely used. Other trimmings include furs, velvets and plushes. Visit the department to-day or Wednesday and get acquainted with the newest fashions. You will also find that our prices are most reasonable.

Opening Display of New Fall Coats and Suits

IT has been an interesting day in the Mantle department, and we trust to have just such another to-morrow. Women in general seemed delighted with the broad showing of Suits and Coats that are to be seen, and were loud in their praises at our having such a large variety of different styles and handsome materials to select from. If you have been unable to get to the store to-day, make a point of being here to-morrow. You will find a visit both interesting and profitable, and you will gather more information in a few minutes about the new Fall styles than by anything we can tell you in a dozen pages of cold type.

A Beautiful Range of New Silk Waists

OF course you are attending the Fall Opening in the Millinery and Mantle Departments, and before you leave the store we would like to show you this beautiful range of new Silk Waists. They are to be seen in the department, and the attractive showing they make must appeal to all. They come in crepe de chine, messalines, ninons, chiffons, brocaded silks and shot effects and the beautiful range of colors include all that is new, and there's a shade to match all the new Fall costumes. The plain-tailored style is well represented and the fancy styles come in a very wide range of new models, many showing vest effects in silks of contrasting shades, net or laces. We invite you to see them to-day. They are remarkable values and the prices range from \$5.75 to \$9.50.

A Large Selection of Men's Fall Suits

WE are now showing in the View street windows a few samples of new Fall Suits, which represent the various qualities we stock from \$12.50 to \$30.00. These Suits are to be had in fine-finished worsteds, serges, tweeds and chevots, in blues, blacks and in a very large assortment of new shades and patterns. Every suit is correct in style, and the workmanship and finish of the highest order. There are both single and double-breasted styles to choose from, and some have the vent back. The well-shaped shoulder line is a special feature of these Suits. It adds dignity and individuality to the Suit that you would only think possible could be obtained from a good custom tailor. Before buying your Fall Suit, come in and inspect our large range and compare qualities. You will be surprised at the remarkable values we are now offering. Values from \$12.50 to \$30.00.

Silks, Velvets and Plushes New Fall Shades

WE are now showing all the latest shades in crepe de chine, brocaded crepe de chine, satins, velvets and plushes. These materials will be much in demand during the coming season and they are to be had in a very extensive range of both light and dark colors. We invite you to inspect them in the department on main floor.

Crepe de Chine, 42 inches wide, in plain shades, from, per yard, \$2.50, \$2, \$1.75 and \$1.50

Brocaded Crepe de Chine, 42 inches wide, from, per yard, \$5.75, \$3.75, \$2.50 and \$1.50

Dress Velvet, in heavy chiffon finish, in a very choice range of colors, light and dark brown, reseda, moss, light and dark saxe, purple, slate, myrtle and black. Very suitable for dresses, suits or coats. Splendid value at, per yard, \$3.00

Chiffon Finish Plush, 42 inches wide. This has a beautiful soft finish and the fact that it is uncrushable will ensure its popularity for dresses, coats or millinery trimmings. It comes in exquisite shades of old gold, light and mid-brown, light and mid-grey, purple, moss, navy and black. Moderately priced at, per yard, \$5.75

Brocaded Velvet, 40 inches wide, in a very nice assortment of colorings in damask designs. Suitable for Fall coats, trimmings and dresses. Per yard, \$4.50

Donegal Tweeds and Cloakings

SOME of the new Fall Cloakings and Suitings are extremely handsome, and are worthy of your close inspection. Why not see these goods on the main floor, when you are attending the Fall opening?

Heavy Coating Serge, 54 inches wide; splendidly woven and comes in colors cardinal, navy, grey and white. Per yard, \$1.75

Reversible Coatings, 54 inches wide. This is a well-woven cloth with a striped effect on one side and a plain color on the other. The colors are in mixtures of grey, blues, fawns and browns; a cloth that will be very popular this season. In three qualities, at, per yard, \$3.50, \$2.75 and \$2.50

Donegal Tweed Suitings, 54 inches wide, in greys, browns and green mixtures. A hard-wearing quality. Per yard, \$1.00

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Donegal Serge Suitings, 46 inches wide, a finely-woven cloth, in all the new shades, including mauve, grey, taupe, saxe, tan, reseda and purple. Per yard, \$1.25

Fine French Serge Suitings, 42 inches wide, in a splendid range of new colors; grey, cardinal, saxe, reseda, old rose, purple, brown and moss green. Per yard, \$75¢

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MEETING OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS.

The License Commissioners of Esquimalt Municipality will meet on Wednesday, September 10, at 10 a.m. in the Municipal Hall, Esquimalt Road.

BOARD OF LICENSING COMMISSIONERS

The next statutory sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners will be held in the Police Court, City Hall, on Wednesday next, the 10th inst., at 2.30 p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C. Sept. 6, 1913.

LANDS FOR INDUSTRIAL PURPOSES.

Offers will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday, the 15th September inst., by owners of land in the City, or in the immediate vicinity thereof, to lease to the Corporation of Victoria their land for a term of years (not less than 25) for the purpose of re-lease by the City to persons who will establish industries thereon.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 9-5 a.m.-The barometer is rising over this province and more settled weather will prevail. Rain has been general from Northern British Columbia to the State of Washington, and showers and thunderstorms are now becoming general in the prairie provinces, accompanied by southerly gales in Manitoba.

Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity-Light to moderate southerly and westerly winds, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.

Lower Mainland-Light to moderate winds, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.

Reports.

Victoria-Barometer, 29.09; temperature, 47; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .25; weather, rain.

Vancouver-Barometer, 29.08; temperature, 48; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .25; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco-Barometer, 29.32; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert-Barometer, 29.70; temperature, 48; minimum, 48; wind, 16 miles S.; rain, .25; weather, rain.

Edmonton-Barometer, 29.54; temperature, 42; minimum, 42; wind, 22 miles N. W.; rain, .25; weather, rain.

Winnipeg-Barometer, 29.68; temperature, 60; minimum, 54; wind, 23 miles S.E.; rain, trace; weather, part cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p.m. Monday.

Temperature.

Highest

Lowest

Average

Rain, .11 inch.

Bright sunshine 3 hours 30 minutes.

General state of weather, showery.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Sands & Fulton, Ltd., funeral directors, 1515 Quadra street. Phone 3104.

Ladies' Tailor.-W. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 5, Haynes Bldg., Fort street.

Hanna & Thomas, Pandora Ave.-Leading funeral furnishing house. Connections, Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg.

S. P. C. A.-Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; secretary, L. 1732.

The B. O. Funeral Co., Chas. Hayward, president, 35 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 2235.

Baby Car Specialists, 755 Fort St.

Economy Wet Wash Laundry.-Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3339, 2612 Bridge Street.

Air Costs Nothing and Shell Motor Spirit mixes with more air than any other. Sprague & Co., 737 Broughton St.

The Hospital for Sick Lawn Mowers is at 614 Cormorant. Cure guaranteed.

For Fire, marine, automobile, liability, sickness and accident, plate glass, elevator and employers' liability, consult Gilchrist, Hart & Todd, general agents for British Columbia. All claims settled and paid by our office.

H. Markness & Son, wholesale and retail wallpaper dealers, 917 Pandora avenue. Estimates furnished.

Phone 984 for Good Millwood. \$3.00 double load. \$1.50 single load.

S. S. Siswanger, Esq., Fuel Company, South Wellington Coast, \$7.50 a ton. Orders promptly attended to. Phone 7392.

Try Filling Up Your Gasoline Tank next time at the Red Sentinel, 737 Broughton street. The method of filling is as clean and entirely satisfactory as the Shell Motor Spirit. Sprague & Co.

Psychic Research Society.-Mrs. M. Perkins will commence a series of lectures Sunday, Sept. 7, on "Life in the Celestial Spheres." 1st, Describing lower planes of spirit life. Earth conditions which sink the spirit to the earth planes.

A Handy Fruit Picker.-Made of wire in the shape of a large hand, the fingers of which loosen the fruit, it then dropping into the palm, attached to a long handle it becomes easy to get the fruit from the highest branches. 50c with handle or 35c without. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas Street.

Senior W. A. Meets.-The senior branch of the Women's Auxiliary of Christ Church cathedral met yesterday afternoon in the cathedral school-room for the first time since the summer holidays. Mrs. Hiscocks, the president, in the chair. Ven. Archdeacon Scroten opened the meeting with prayer, and later in the afternoon gave an address on home missions.

Majestic Theatre.-One of the best comedies that has been seen for a long time is the two part special feature Vitaphone that will be exhibited at the Majestic to-day and Tuesday. The play is entitled "The Feud-lata," and is chock full of laughter from beginning to end. Two families get into a quarrel over chickens and the seedlings they scratch up. A spite fence is built between their respective yards and a feud is started that keeps every one at the highest pitch of excitement. The only members of the families that do not help on the warfare are the eldest son of the one family and the eldest daughter of the other. These two young people are hopelessly in love with one another and have stolen many kisses over the top of the fence. A small incident causes the warlike to be suddenly reconciled and a free for all fight follows between the families. By knocking over the beehives, the young man is able to drive both families to take refuge in a barn, where he locks them up. He then demands permission to marry the girl he loves and refuses to deliver any one from bondage until he shall get it, which he does.

Refused Admission.-Mud should be refused an entrance into every home. Keep it out with a Cocoa Door Mat; they not only wipe mud, but dampness from the shoes, 75c to \$1.55, at R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas Street.

Tea acquires a flavor under the peculiar climate of Ceylon that cannot be acquired anywhere else on earth. The delicate fragrance and delightful aroma of "Salsada" Tea will please you. Buy a package to-day from your grocer.

Cut Off One Fee.-On recommendation of the registration committee, the city council decided last night to cut off the registration fee for hired vehicles, charging only the regular license fee. It was shown to be wrong to charge two or three fees for the same license.

Prices Submitted.-Copies of letters citing prices on the land at Sooke lake for which Mr. Winby acted as agent were forwarded to the city council last night by the acting comptroller and were permitted to file on the table for a week that they may be considered in the interim by the aldermen.

Nurses' Club Meets.-The Victoria Nurses' Club met yesterday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, Miss E. H. Jones, the president, in the chair. One of the city physicians gave an interesting address on the nursing of nervous and mental diseases, which was listened to by a fair attendance of members.

The Nation's Eyesight.-There are fewer blind people to-day, proportionately, than at any time in the nation's history. We are using our eyes more now, however. Our civilization demands it, and our eyes are feeling the strain. Defective eyes are becoming more common. People should have their eyes tested by a competent man, who will state honestly and fairly just what the conditions are. Frank Clugston, optician and optometrist, 654 Yates street (corner Douglas), suite 2.-A business founded upon honor.

Will Fight Thorpe.-On the report of the city solicitor that the claim of \$10,000 was more than could ever be recovered in an action and that the allegations about the city water made by Thorpe & Company were ill-founded according to the water commissioner the city accepted the solicitor's recommendation that payment of the claim be resisted.

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No Half-Holiday.-The matter of a half-holiday for civic employees came before the council last night in two forms, a letter from the Laborers' Protective Union and a report from the minimum wage committee. It was decided to give no holiday.

Sunday Selling.-To-morrow morning the chief justice will hear the appeal in the city v. Lally, the corporation appealing against the dismissal of case brought against Dudley Lally arising out of the sale of a cigar to a detective on a Sunday.

Garbage Collection Tax.-Objections from the business portion of the city about the excessive charges for garbage collection when most of it was collected in the residential districts was received by the council last night. The finance committee was given power to dispose of the matter.

New Industry.-The Vancouver Industrial Development League has received a letter from a firm in Iowa asking for particulars as to whether there is a glass-manufacturing plant and a distillery here, as they intend starting a toilet-preparations manufactory here, and require bottles and large quantities of alcohol for conducting their business.

Daughters of Pity.-The Daughters of Pity met yesterday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, Miss Hiscocks presiding. It was decided that the tea-room at the Women's building at the fall fair should be taken as usual, and that the proceeds would be devoted to the organization's work at the Jubilee hospital. For this purpose the society is asking for donations of cakes, flowers, etc., which will be gratefully received. The meeting decided to purchase a new ambulance chair for the hospital, and other matters of interest discussed included that of a presentation to Miss MacDonald, who recently resigned the office of matron of the hospital.

Police Veterans' Association.-At a meeting of the Headquarters Association held recently, Adjutant C. C. Cavanagh reported that divisions of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police Veterans' Association had been formed in Victoria, Ottawa, Regina, Dawson and Vancouver, the headquarters being at the last-named place. It was decided at the meeting that each division should have a superintendent, two inspectors, a sergeant-major, and any other officers that might be necessary. Premier Borden has been asked to act as patron, and Hon. Robert Rogers has promised his help.

Pioneer Dairyman Dies.-The death occurred last Monday at Vancouver of James McGeer, one of the notable figures of this part of British Columbia, who had lived in the province here for nearly thirty years. The late Mr. McGeer, who came here from the Old Country, was 68 years of age, and settled at Mount Pleasant, at a time when the only highway south of False Creek bridge was the road to Westminster. After dairy-farming for some years Mr. McGeer went to Langley, but, owing to misfortune there, he returned to his former business. Before coming to this country, and while still a young man, he held a position on the Manchester Guardian, an office which he obtained through the kindly influence of T. P. O'Connor.

Prince George Townsite.-The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway announce the sale by auction of the townsite of Prince George situated at the confluence of the Fraser and Nechane rivers in Central British Columbia, 450 miles northeast of Vancouver and 467 miles east of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, or midway between Prince Rupert and Edmonton, Alberta. By reason of its central location, Prince George will be the natural distributing point for the extensive territory comprised in the Pacific province of the Dominion, and by the completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, Prince George will early become a large and important center. Having purchased what was known as the Fort George Indian Reserve, No. 1, for the purpose of locating a townsite thereon, the Grand Trunk Pacific Development Company has caused the name to be surveyed and platted and will offer by public auction at Vancouver, British Columbia, Wednesday, September 17, 1913, and at Edmonton, Alberta, Wednesday, September 24, 1913. The terms of the sale will be one-quarter cash and the balance payable in one, two and three years with six per cent interest. All particulars and plans can be secured by applying to E. J. Bayley, Local Commissioner, Grand Trunk Pacific, Winnipeg, Manitoba, or at the local ticket office.

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LOCAL FISHING FLEET IN TERRIFIC WEATHER

Victoria's Engine Becomes Disabled; Nearly Ashore; Jessie Also Battered by Seas

Howling gales from all points of the compass, tremendous seas, drenching rains, lightning and thunder storms have been assailing the Victoria fishing fleet during the past few weeks and have driven them home with very small catches. Real, wintry weather is reported by all the captains to be prevailing off the coast. There were very few occasions when the weather was fit to put to sea and the most of the time the schooners have been absent from this port, spent at anchor in some snug little bay.

Last night the two schooners Jessie, Capt. Geo. Heater, and Victoria, Capt. Pike, returned to port and brought stories of the tempestuous weather which has interfered with their fishing at the West Coast banks. The Victoria, which was away on her initial trip as a fisherman, had the most trying trip, owing to her engine breaking down and rendering her helpless in the great seas. The schooner Alliance No. 2, formerly the Levi Woodbury, is now on her way back to port after losing a lot of gear in the heavy weather, and the Alliance No. 1 came in a few days ago.

23,000 Pounds Between Them. Although the Jessie and Victoria were away for two weeks they managed to catch only 23,000 pounds of fish between them, the former getting the biggest half, 13,000 pounds. The vessels ran into heavy weather as soon as they were clear of Port San Juan. The Jessie forged northward for the Scott Islands and on the night of September 1, along with the two Alliance boats, she rode out one of the fiercest gales that have ever hurried themselves against the Victoria fishing fleet. The wind came up from the northwest and before morning it had howled from nearly every point of the compass, finally blowing itself out in the south-east.

Capt. Heater says that the Woodbury had to cut adrift most of the gear which she had set in order that the dories and men might be saved. As one of the boats came alongside, a big sea struck the craft and washed everything out of it. Throughout the night the little schooner rose over the great waves, but at intervals a green sea managed to break over the boats and send them from stem to stern.

Hard Luck For Victoria.

The Victoria had been out from port only a few days when her engine gave trouble. The engineer tried to remedy the trouble, but no sooner was one break repaired than another occurred. When it was found that the engine could not be relied upon the small sails which the schooner carries were set and she was held head into the sea. Gale after gale beset the Victoria in her partially disabled condition. The engine would drive the ship along for a short distance and then "buck." The schooner had several narrow escapes from being driven ashore during her cruise. When getting out of Kyauot Sound Capt. Pike had to let go his anchors three times to prevent the wind and sea from setting the vessel ashore.

News was brought by Capt. Heater that an American schooner, the name of which he had forgotten, was almost wrecked off Estevan on the night of September 1 during the heavy storm, which the local fleet weathered off the Scott Islands. The little ship was carried into the breakers and just managed to slip out as all hands were prepared to resign themselves to their fate.

BELLUCIA ON HER WAY.

San Francisco, Sept. 9.—The British steamer Bellucia has finished discharging her coal cargo at the government dock here, and will sail immediately for Comox for bunker coal. She is under charter to the Portland Flour Mills for wheat from Tacoma or Portland to the United Kingdom.

The most powerful locomotive in the world has just been built by the American Locomotive Company for the Virginian railway. It can haul 150 loaded fifty-ton capacity goods trucks at ten miles an hour. It has sixteen driving wheels. The locomotive and tender weigh 782,000 pounds, and the firebox is large enough to hold a shunting locomotive.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Antiochus	Pyron	5,762	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Sept. 27
Buena Ventura	Pitamisimo	3,065	Evans, Coleman & Evans	New York	Sept. 27
Canada Maru	Hori	5,823	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 18
Den of Crombie	Jarvis	3,129	Pindley, Durham & Brodie	Hull	Oct. 24
Den of Glamis	—	3,230	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Sept. 17
Empress of Japan	Hopcroft	3,629	R. P. Rithet	Liverpool	Sept. 20
Huntman	Vincent	4,928	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Oct. 25
Ixon	Repenhouse	6,700	C. P. R.	Australia	Sept. 16
Marama	Rolls	3,552	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Sept. 23
Monteagle	Davidson	3,583	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Sept. 23
Makura	Phillips	4,921	C. P. R.	Australia	Sept. 16
Minnesota	Garlick	12,325	Great Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 13
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Tacoma Maru	Hamada	3,850	Gardner, Johnson	Hamburg	Oct. 10
Uchikuruma	Rhode	3,653	—	—	—

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Sanuki Maru	G.N. Hongkong	Sept. 9	—	—	—
Empress of Asia	C.P.R. Hongkong	Sept. 19	—	—	—
Chieo Maru	R.P. Rithet, Hongkong	Sept. 16	—	—	—
Shidzuoka Maru	G.N. Hongkong	Sept. 22	—	—	—
Monteagle	C.P.R. Hongkong	Sept. 20	—	—	—
Marama	C.P.R. Australia	Oct. 1	—	—	—
Cyclops	Dodwell Co., Liverpool	Oct. 1	—	—	—

SAILERS COMING	From	Due
Alta, American barquentine	due here from Vancouver to load lumber	—
Frieda Mahn, German barque	Callao	—
Isabelle Brown, Russian barque	from Callao	—
Inca, American schooner	from Newcastle, N. S. W.	—
Alliance, Peruvian barque	Iquique	—
Jan-Tuft, American barquentine	Newcastle, N. S. W.	—

TAKES RECORD LIST OF PASSENGERS AT THIS PORT



S. S. SANUKI MARU

MISSIONARIES ALL BUT MISSED LINER

Landslide Held Up Party Who Booked Passage on Sanuki; Record List From Here

Over half of the passenger accommodation of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Sanuki Maru, Capt. Noma, which cleared from this port late this afternoon for the Orient, was filled by the Victoria agents. A new record, for both saloon and steerage travel out of this port for Japanese boats, has been set up by W. R. Dale, who represents the Nippon line here. Thirteen first-class travellers, the majority of whom were missionaries, and 75 third-class passengers embarked while the steamship was berthed here.

Two of the missionaries who sailed on the Sanuki just made connections with the ship here. They arrived on the 2:30 o'clock steamer from Vancouver and had about two hours to see about their tickets and baggage. Dr. C. C. Harris and Miss Jane James were held up by the washout at Albert Canyon and the rock slide in Kicking Horse Canyon. The other members of the party including Miss Florence Langull, Miss Bertha Hodge, Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Procter, Miss E. M. Smith, Miss E. McEachern, Miss E. McLellan, Miss M. F. Walks and Miss H. M. Brown reached here this morning from the Mainland. They were also held up by rail difficulties in the Rockies, and they were caused a great deal of worry as to whether they would get through in time to make connections at this port.

Half of the missionaries are bound for Japan to work, and the others will find their fields of labor in China. Among the other saloon passengers who embarked here were: Miss D. de la Hay, of London, Eng., who is on a round-the-world trip, and J. H. Gobeys, who is bound for Shanghai.

Huge Cargo on Board. The Sanuki Maru took out with her one of the biggest cargoes to leave here in a Nippon ship for some time. The last two steamships to leave were, under the same management, the ship which was carrying wheat and flour. The low rates now, however, are inducing the grain merchants to ship their wheat and flour. The Sanuki had close on 7,000 tons of freight aboard when she cleared to-day.

To-morrow afternoon the Shidzuoka Maru, Capt. Iriawara, of the Nippon fleet, will dock from the Orient. She is expected at William Head shortly after 1 o'clock to discharge 355 tons of freight.

LONSDALE DUE NEXT WEEK.

San Francisco, Sept. 9.—The British steamer Lord Lonsdale will sail next week for the Sound to finish discharging her European cargo. She will then load a part cargo of salmon on the Sound for the United Kingdom, finishing here with grain.

The tanker Richmond, built at Quincy, Mass., for the Standard Oil Company, of California, is expected to go on trial September 28. Her builders, the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation, have had considerable trouble with the engines on this vessel and delivery has consequently been long delayed.

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS

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COASTING VESSELS

From Northern Ports	Due
Prince Rupert, G.T.P. Granby Bay	Sept. 19
Venture, U.S.S. Co., Bella Coola	Sept. 19
Prince Albert, G.T.P. Q. Charlton	Sept. 19
Prince George, G.T.P. Q. Charlton	Sept. 19
Princess Mary, C.P.R. Skagway	Sept. 19
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Prince Rupert, G.T.P. Granby Bay	Sept. 19
Prince Albert, G.T.P. Q. Charlton	Sept. 19
Prince George, G.T.P. Q. Charlton	Sept. 19
For West Coast	Due
Tees, C.P.R. Clayoquot	Sept. 15
From West Coast	Due
Tees, C.P.R. Hailberg	Sept. 15
From San Francisco	Due
Umatilla, Pacific Coast	Sept. 11
City of Puebla, Pacific Coast	Sept. 13
For San Francisco	Due
City of Puebla, Pacific Coast	Sept. 10
Umatilla, Pacific Coast	Sept. 11

ALTA EXPECTED HERE TO LOAD NEXT WEEK

Barquentine May Go on Ways Before Coming Here to Take on 1,500,000-Foot Cargo

About the middle of next week the American barquentine Alta, Capt. Thonagel, will arrive here from Vancouver to commence loading 1,500,000 feet of lumber at the Canadian Puget Sound Mills for Australia. Word was received from the Terminal City yesterday to the effect that the ship will finish discharging her cargo of coal by the end of the week, but that she may possibly be placed on the B. C. Marine ways there for cleaning and painting before towing across the Gulf.

Much of the lumber which is to be stored in the hold of the Alta has been cut by the mills and is now stacked on the docks in the Upper Harbor awaiting the arrival of the vessel. Owing to the fact that the local demand for lumber is rather slack at the present time the mills are able to do a lot of cutting for the Alta and other vessels, which is to succeed the barquentine in loading at this port.

Will Load Quickly. As a result of the mills having most of the sticks and planks ready the Alta will be given quick dispatch and will probably be ready to start on her voyage across the ocean within three weeks of the time the first timber is placed on board.

This will be the first time that an American barquentine has come inside the harbor mouth. On several occasions her work has been confined solely to the Pacific ocean. She loaded at the Fraser River Mills on her last outward voyage and while discharging at Sydney, N. S. W., she was chartered to bring a cargo of coal from Newcastle to Vancouver owing to the scarcity of this commodity on the Pacific Coast. No word has yet been received of the schooner Inca leaving Newcastle with her coal cargo, but as she is due here for November loading she must now be on her way up the Pacific.

WIRELESS REPORTS

September 9, 9 a. m.
Point Grey—Cloudy; S. E.; 30.10; 50; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 29.98; 50; sea smooth.
Tatoosh—Raining; S. E.; 12 miles; 30.10; 50; sea moderate. Out, S. S. Buckman, 10.30 a. m.; in, S. S. Watson, 4 p. m.; out, schooner Gamble, 7 p. m.; towing.
Pachena—Raining; calm; 29.24; 57; sea moderate. Spoke, S. S. Mary, 8.58; Shidzuoka Maru, position unobtainable; 1.30 a. m., S. S. Northwestern, due Ketchikan, 6 a. m., southbound.
Triangle—Cloudy; N. W.; light; 29.34; 48; light swell. Spoke, 1.25 a. m., S. S. Cordova entering Queen Charlotte Sound, northbound; S. S. Chicago, 5.1 a. m., 20 miles northwest of Triangle.
Ikeda—Cloudy; calm; 29.54; 40; sea smooth.
Prince Rupert—Raining; S. E.; 29.70; 50; sea moderate.
Dead Tree Point—Raining; calm; sea smooth.
Alert Bay—Cloudy; calm; 29.89; 55; sea smooth. In, S. S. Venture, 12.20 a. m.; out again immediately, southbound. S. S. Princess Mary in and out again during night, southbound; S. S. Prince George, ahead, 6.35 a. m., southbound.
Noon.
Point Grey—Cloudy; N. E.; 30.11; 60; Cape Lazo—Overcast; S. E.; 29.98; 59; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Princess Mary 10.30 a. m., southbound.
Tatoosh—Cloudy; S. 14 miles; 30.14; 54; sea moderate. In, 9.30 a. m., two three-masted schooners. Out, 9.35 a. m., S. S. H. Leggett. In, 10 a. m., S. S. Stanley Dollar.
Pachena—Raining; S. E.; 29.85; 58; heavy swell. Spoke, S. S. Tees leaving Uclulet 10 a. m., northbound.
Estevan—Cloudy; calm; 29.89; 54; sea moderate.
Triangle—Cloudy; N. W.; light; 29.40; 54; heavy swell. Spoke, S. S. Shidzuoka Maru, due William Head 1 p. m. on Wednesday.
Ikeda—Cloudy; calm; 29.64; 41; sea smooth.
Prince Rupert—Raining; S. E.; 29.76; 53; sea moderate. In, 10.10 a. m., S. S. Chelashin.
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; S. E.; light; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Prince Albert at Queen Charlotte City.
Alert Bay—Overcast; calm; 29.90; 68; sea smooth.

HEAVY WEATHER OUTSIDE DELAYING ALL SHIPPING

San Francisco, Sept. 9.—That gales from the southwest are delaying shipping bound for this port from the northward was the news brought to the city last Saturday by the steamer Oliver J. Olsen, which arrived from Portland forty hours behind her regular schedule. The steamer generally makes the run in sixty hours, but on this trip it was 100 before she tied up here.

Another of the coasters held back by the high winds and seas is the Pacific coast steamer Umatilla, which was due Friday from Seattle, but which did not arrive until Saturday. The coaster Scotia had a hard trip from Boreka and was many hours late in making port.

One of the vessels which the storm will halt as much as any is the Edgar H. Vance, making the trip south towing an immense log raft. Just off the Columbia river a fifty-mile gale was encountered, which the raft weathered without difficulty, and it is expected the present weather will not do it any damage.

The salmon fleet from Bristol Bay and other Alaskan canneries points is making its way down the coast, and the prevailing winds will make their arrival several days later than expected, if not a week or more. The St. Nicholas is the first of the salmon carriers from Nushagak to make the coast, this vessel having just arrived at Astoria.

LEAVES HONOLULU TO-DAY FOR VICTORIA; DUE SEPT. 16



S. S. MARAMA

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Sept. 8.
San Pedro, Cal.—Arrived: Steamer Yucatan, Portland via San Francisco; Oliver J. Olsen, Tacoma; British steamer M. A. Dollar, Orient; Crick, Puget Sound.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Steamer Virgilia, Hilo, Iquique and Hardy, Coos Bay, Tamalapa, Gray's Harbor; Northland, Columbia river; Seabra, Seattle; Elizabeth and Brooklyn, Bandon; ship Tacoma, Bristol Bay; schooner Archer, Roche Harbor; Sailed: Steamers Speedwell, Bandon; Alaskan, Salina Cruz; Governor, San Pedro.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Steamer Triolator, West Coast via San Francisco and Victoria. Sailed: Steamer Triolator, Dupont; ship Paul, Sydney and Newcastle.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Steam schooner Shoshone, San Francisco; schooner Stella, Natchez and gas schooner Mirene, Waldport; barque Berlin, Nushagak river, Alaska. Sailed: Tank steamer W. S. Porter, San Francisco.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Ship Bond, F. Packard, in tow of the tug Tye, Chignik; steamer F. H. Leggett, San Francisco via Astoria; steamer President, San Diego via San Francisco; steamer Dolphin, Skagway; City of Puebla, Puget Sound ports; steamer Nome City, San Francisco; steamer Yestalla, Astoria. Sailed: Steamer Sakkarah, Tacoma; steamer Buchanan, San Francisco; steamer Chicago Maru, Tacoma; steamer Nome City, Tacoma.

ICEBERG ROLLS OVER AND FISHERMAN LOSES LIFE

Ketchikan, Alaska, Sept. 8.—The halibut power boat Comet, Captain J. Hansen, arrived from the banks yesterday and reported that one of the crew, Peter Reddall, had drowned while the vessel was taking ice from the iceberg near Dundas bay.

Reddall, in company with John Johnson and F. Pederson, was sent from the Comet to gather ice from a berg with which to pack the fish, and while they were cutting off a piece the berg capsized, striking the dory and throwing the men into the water. All three were hit by the berg, but Reddall, who was the most severely injured, was unable to make the boat again.

A relief boat put out from the Comet, which rescued Pederson and Johnson, but was unable to recover the body of Reddall.

The Comet proceeded to Seattle with 140,000 pounds of halibut.

ANTICIPATE COAL FAMINE ON COAST THIS WINTER

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 9.—The British steamer Harpalice, under time charter to Davies & Fehon for two weeks from this coast to Australia with lumber, has been ordered to load coal at Newcastle for this port.

The coal supply here is exceedingly light and there is every indication of a famine this winter unless a sufficient supply can be brought up by steamers. The few sailing vessels under charter for this business cannot relieve the shortage, and the solution of the problem rests either on the small possibility of getting steamers up here with dispatch or on the ability of the mines in the north to get out sufficient supplies. There is little hope of either alternative transpiring to relieve the situation.

LOCAL NEWS

Fuel Company is Architect.—A building permit was issued this morning to the Cameron Lumber Company for the erection of a coal compressing plant on the Garbally estate at a cost of \$10,000. The Perfection Fuel Company is named as the architect.

Telephone Committee Meets.—The city council committee which is negotiating with the B. C. Telephone Company regarding underground conduits for wires will hold a meeting on Thursday. Owing to the illness of Alderman Houston the committee is now composed of Mayor Morley and Alderman Porter.

Roof Fire at 5:30 p. m.—The first call in six days was received by the fire department at 5:30 last night when the roof of the house at 1629 South Park street became ablaze. No appreciable damage was done.

Fresh Killed Fowl, 25c Pound; Young Chickens, 30c pound. Brown & Cooper, 910 Gordon Street.

Equimault Council.—Routine business matters occupied the attention of Equimault council last night. The work which still remains to be done this year was carefully reviewed and the appropriations shifted around to meet the situation.

TWENTY-SECOND HOO HOO ANNUAL MEETING TO-DAY

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 9.—The Orlinian cloister of the Consecrated Order of Hoo Hoo yesterday preceded the twenty-second annual meeting which begins in St. Louis to-day. The officers of the cloister were elected and thirty new Orlinians initiated.

Frank W. Trower, of San Francisco, the retiring Snark of the Universe, was elected high priest of Orlin in place of the retiring high priest, W. A. Hadley. The order of Hoo Hoo has a membership of about 25,000 men in the lumber business throughout the country.

CHICKEN ATE GOLD

Woodland, Wash., Sept. 9.—Gilbert Murk took a small gold nugget from the craw of a chicken he was dressing for the Sunday dinner. He had raised the chicken at his home near the centre of the town and he is wondering whether he has a gold mine on his property.

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B. C. Coast Service

Princess Sophia leaves Victoria 11 p. m. Sept. 12 for Alert Bay, Prince Rupert, Port Simpson, Ketchikan, Wrangell, Juneau and Alaska.
Princess Beatrice leaves Vancouver at 4 p. m. Tuesdays for Lund, Campbell River, Quathlanzi, Alert Bay, Port Rupert, Hardy Bay, Nunu, Ocean Falls, Bella Coola.
Princess Mary leaves Vancouver 11 p. m. Wednesdays for Campbell River, Steamer for Denman Island, Union Bay, Comox, leaves Victoria midnight Monday and 1 p. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays 1 p. m. Leave Victoria by E. & N. train 9 a. m., connecting.
Princess Patricia leaves Nanaimo for Vancouver at 7 a. m. and 3.15 p. m., and from Vancouver to Nanaimo at 10 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.
Steamers for Vancouver 10.30 a. m., 2.45 p. m., and 11.45 p. m. daily.
To Seattle 8.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. daily.
For reservations and tickets apply to:
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SUMMER EXCURSION TRIPS

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MILITIA CASE IS NOT ENTERTAINED

W. F. C. Pope Found Not
Guilty of the Dissuasion From
Duty of Lieut. Wilby

BOARD'S ATTITUDE TO THE CADET MOVEMENT

Chairman Jay Replies to As-
persions Cast Upon the Vic-
toria Trustees

The case brought against W. F. C. Pope, secretary of the board of school trustees of Victoria, by Captain R. V. Harvey, of the 8th Fusiliers, who alleged that a telegram sent to Lieut. W. J. Wilby, of the Corps of Guides, formerly first assistant of the Boys' Central School, was calculated to dissuade that officer from the performance of his military duties, was dismissed yesterday afternoon by William Dalby, justice of the peace, before whom it had been heard.

Incident to the hearing of the case, George Jay, chairman of the school board, made a dignified and emphatic reply to the attempts to draw comparisons between the board in Vancouver, which city is under a special charter, and Victoria, which is governed by the general Municipal Act, on the score of aid to cadet corps. The Victoria board, Mr. Jay pointed out to the court, had gone as far as it legally could. "I wish to say this," said the chairman in the course of his evidence, "to remove misunderstanding in regard to what was said the other day as to the granting of assistance to cadet corps, to the effect that the Victoria school board is not sympathetic with the cadet movement, and is not spending money to the extent that the neighboring city of Vancouver is doing."

What Has Been Done.
"In answer to that assertion I say that the board is doing all it can, in view of the restrictions of the Municipal Act, to foster and support the movement. We have furnished the necessary security to the militia department to obtain rifles and sidearms for the High School Cadet Corps, and also for the Central School Cadet Corps, which is the one in which Mr. Wilby is interested. We have furnished armories for the rifles and the only other thing we have as done is supply uniforms. That, as is well known and admitted, is entirely beyond the power of the school board under the present act."

"I strongly protest against the Victoria school board being placed, in comparison with the Vancouver board or any other in that respect."
The prosecution was concluded by the examination of two C. P. R. Telegraph Company's officials and then two witnesses were heard for the defence. The addresses of counsel were not lengthy and the court rendered its decision in brief but unmistakable language.

Identified Marks.
Walter Bond, night clerk at the C. P. R. telegraph office, was shown the original of the telegram said to have been sent by the defendant to Lieut. Col. Hall and Lieut. Wilby. From marks on the messages he was able to swear that he had received them, but from whom he was not prepared to swear, owing to the immense number of people who pass in messages and who make inquiries over the counter. The messages were to be charged to the account of the school board.

W. H. Langley, for the prosecution, was going on to question the witness when Mr. Moresby put in a protest against counsel cross-examining or leading his own witness on.

E. M. Wood, night manager of the C. P. R., identified the messages as having been transmitted by him but further he could not say.

This closed the case for the prosecution and W. C. Moresby, for the defence, submitted that there was no case for his client to meet. He had never risen with greater confidence, he said, to ask for the dismissal of a case. There had not been a scrap of evidence presented to show that Mr. Pope had sent the message by which Lieut. Wilby was supposed to have been dissuaded from his duty. Two officials of the telegraph company were produced who could not go further than that they received and sent certain messages. The prosecution

might say it was not denied that messages were sent, but the court had the defendant before it in a legal way and the case must be proved against him in a legal way. It was up to the prosecution to show that W. F. C. Pope had signed the message which purported to have been sent, that he sent it and that the W. F. C. Pope before the court was the same man. No attempt had been made to do any of these things.

Requisition Not Produced.
Neither had there been any evidence given that any offence had been committed by Mr. Pope or by anyone else. It was for the prosecution to show that the militia were properly called out. Quite true, Lieut. Col. Hall said there was a requisition from Nanaimo, but that was not produced. How was the court to know whether or not it complied with the requisition? Lieut. Col. Hall said it did but he had been there to give evidence and not to tell the court of the law. It was a written document which spoke for itself and no better evidence could be given than the original paper. There was not a little of evidence that Wilby of the Guides was on duty at Nanaimo, within the limits of which municipality and no where else could he be legitimately on duty under the requisition for the troops from the Nanaimo magistrates. The prosecution had proved the sending of the telegram in a close manner never demanded before and had produced the originals of the messages on school board paper.

Mr. Dalby reserved his decision on the point and expressed a desire to hear evidence for the defence.
Chairman's Evidence.
George Jay, chairman of the board, stated that on August 23 Superintendent Paul had telephoned him that Mr. Wilby would not be back for the opening of the school and asked what he should do if it would not be well to communicate with Col. Hall. He authorized the sending of a telegram in his name but up to the present time he had received no answer to that message.

Mr. Moresby—"In consequence of that what steps were taken by the school board?"
Mr. Jay—"I must explain this, that Mr. Wilby was first assistant of the Boys' Central school, a very large and important school of over five hundred boys. The first assistant is in charge of the second division, next to the principal's division, and it is, with the principal's room, a class in preparation for the entrance examinations to the high school. The principal and the assistant have had a series of removals in that school in the past couple of years; three principals taken away by the provincial government for service elsewhere, and a similar fatality has befallen the first assistants. That school has suffered materially in that time, and the board decided that the school would not suffer this term if it could be helped. On Tuesday, August 26, a meeting of the board was held and as no word had been heard from Mr. Wilby or Col. Hall in reply to the telegrams sent them, and the school had opened, the board were of opinion that possibly Mr. Wilby was not very anxious to obtain leave of absence to return to his duties and had not pressed on Col. Hall the importance of his work here. The secretary was instructed to send a telegram to Mr. Wilby and to Col. Hall, again drawing attention to the importance of the work and urging that leave of absence be granted."

In closing his direct examination Mr. Jay referred to the matter of the encouragement of cadet corps as he is quoted above.
Had Not Seen It.
Cross-examined by Mr. Langley Mr. Jay was asked to compare the telegram said to have been sent with the resolution said to have been passed by the school board according to the unsigned and unconfirmed minutes of a meeting of August 26. He had never seen the telegram before sending, however, and could not say whether or not it was in exact conformity with the resolution.

Mr. Jay—"Mr. Wilby seemed to lay stress on the supposed fact that he would lose seniority. Now Mr. Wilby knows, should know, seniority in the school staff does not go by position. It is only a few days ago."

Mr. Langley—"Would it not be possible for Mr. Wilby to be reduced by the school board to a place where the salary would be lower?"
Mr. Jay—"No. Mr. Wilby's salary is fixed by the year and paid by the month."

Mr. Langley—"Is there anything in the telegram to indicate that Mr. Wilby that he would not be reduced?"
Mr. Jay—"Mr. Wilby knows very well."

Mr. Langley—"But is there anything to show that he would not be sent down or dismissed?"
Mr. Jay—"We could dismiss him for cause."

Mr. Langley—"Is there anything in the telegram to show how low you could reduce him?"

Mr. Jay—"I do not recognize any school division as lower than another. The primary class is—"

Mr. Langley—"There is nothing to show in the telegram what position he would take? What about the principal of the George Jay school, who got leave, sold real estate, got extension, the school suffered and is back again?"

Case of McLean.
Mr. Jay—"I know all about that, but it is not quite as stated. Mr. McLean had been doing very hard work and his health was so broken down that under his physician's advice he asked for leave of absence. He was granted leave which extended to a year, and during that leave he received no salary. It is possible he may have passed part of the time selling real estate. He may have done so, but it is no concern of mine. The school did not suffer. The gentleman who acted in his place has been appointed the principal of one of our new schools."

Mr. Langley directed several questions along the line of the school having suffered in the direction of a falling off in the percentage of passes on entrance in this and other schools, in one of which the principal had got leave of

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absence for twenty-four hours. He also cited the case of Mr. Ashe, of the Boys' Central, getting leave to go to England.

"There is this difference between Mr. Ashe and Mr. Wilby," said the chairman, "that Mr. Ashe stayed until the school closed and Mr. Wilby did not. He had no complaint to make of Mr. Wilby as a teacher, he said, but that gentleman had absented himself without leave in June to go to Vernon camp while his class was preparing for the entrance examinations."

Mr. Langley—"Don't you think it was an extraordinary position for you, as chairman of the public school board, to order the sending of a telegram to a man under military duty to say if he did not return he would lose his job?"
Mr. Moresby objected to the statement that there was a loss of employment involved.

Was Not Improper.
Mr. Jay—"No, I do not think it was extraordinary, for this reason, that if I had been acting in a private capacity, with Mr. Wilby as my employee, I would not have done as I did, but as a public body, responsible to the public for the maintenance of the schools of this city, I do not think the attitude of the board was improper."

The chairman, in reply to a question, said every member of the board except the lady member had been connected in some way with the militia in the past. As to the possibility of appointing a substitute for Mr. Wilby for a time Mr. Jay reminded counsel that all the best teachers would be engaged before the board found that Mr. Wilby could not return in time. The board had never given leave of absence to anyone unless there had been some other person to take the place.

Mr. Langley—"Could you not have adopted a better alternative than to threaten a man with the loss of his job?"
Mr. Jay—"We did not threaten him with the loss of his job."

"You consider your action was justified?"
"I think so."

"You consider that in the best interest of the administration of the schools of Victoria?"
"Consistent With Duty."

"I thought it was consistent with our duty."

"You think that is a good example to set to the school children, to threaten a man with the loss of his job?"
"I say once again that we never threatened him with the loss of his job."

To a suggestion of Mr. Langley's that a substitute might have been found in a lower class and other teachers moved up temporarily the chairman said this would have the effect of upsetting two or more classes instead of one.

Mr. Moresby—"Would Mr. Wilby have any right to believe from the telegram sent him that he would be reduced?"
Mr. Jay—"Mr. Wilby knows very well that his salary is an annual fixed salary, and that it does not make any matter what duties he is assigned, whether the tenth division or the first, his salary remains the same. The salary is not attached to the position but remains with the teacher."

The chairman explained that the superintendent assigns teachers to the several positions as he thinks them best qualified. In every case but Mr. Wilby's an application in writing was made for leave of absence.

Inspector Testifies.
Dr. E. B. Paul, municipal inspector of schools, gave evidence corroborative of the chairman as to the sending of a telegram to Col. Hall to which no reply had ever been received. Owing to the interchange of instruction in the two senior divisions between the principal and the first assistant the prolonged absence of either without opportunity to provide for this would disarrange both. When Mr. Wilby asked him in June if he could get leave for two weeks he told the teacher that long leave could not be granted without the consent of the board, but that a week could be allowed by a special committee of the board. Mr. Wilby had reduced his request to a week, but he had never received leave to go. The request had never been refused nor granted by the witness for he had no power to do either.

Dr. Paul—"Nor would I be to Principal McLean's absence the George Jay school was not so successful as usual because the temporary principal was an excellent man, and had since been assigned to the control of one of the new schools."

Mr. Langley—"It would not be to Mr. Wilby's advantage to lose his position as first assistant?"
Dr. Paul—"Nor would I be to the advantage of the sixty odd pupils in the class to have their work dis-

ranged by his absence for an indefinite time."

"He would have to take a less important position?"
All Are Important.
"All positions under the school board are important. It might be a disappointment to Mr. Wilby to be moved from that class, but there was no loss of salary or repute, and he has no cause to blame the board."

Mr. Moresby emphasized his point that there was no evidence Mr. Pope had sent the telegram. Neither could it be shown that the telegram in any way advised or exhorted Wilby against the performance of his duties. Did Mr. Wilby or Col. Hall imagine for one moment that the public schools of this city were going to close up while they went out to stop a strike; that a most important class in a big public school was to be tied up and suffer considerable injury by his absence? They did not have the courtesy to answer Mr. Jay's telegram. Mr. Pope could not be shown to have tried to dissuade Mr. Wilby from continuing in his duties, or to have done other than acted according to the directions of his superiors.

Mr. Langley premised his remarks by the statement that the militia authorities had no personal feeling in the matter. He recited the circumstances of the sending out of the troops, and contended that the telegram sent was an intimation to Mr. Wilby that he would lose his position. A militia man was performing a patriotic duty for a mereittance, and it was most unfair and improper, especially for a public body like the school board, to threaten him with the loss of his job.

Must Not Suffer.
Mr. Dalby said the case was a most important one, and he thought the school board as important as the militia. While the people should do all they could for the militia, the schools must not be allowed to suffer. He thought the telegram might have been phrased in different words, but he could not see anything to be construed from it that asked Mr. Wilby to break the law.

"The school board has a difficult task," said the justice, "and at the opening of the school term every teacher ought to be at his or her post. I must dismiss the case."

It is understood that the prosecution will appeal.

Labor Unions, Strikes, Strike Breakers, Scabs, Militia and Other Things

By A. A. FREEMAN

Now that the storm is over and peace reigns once again, it occurs to me that a few serious reflections touching what is known as "labor troubles" may not prove uninteresting.

In what I am about to say I shall carefully avoid any expressions indicating any opinion as to the guilt or innocence of a number of persons who rest under charge of having been guilty of violation of law during the recent strike at Nanaimo. In this great country of ours, every man, for any charge alleged against him, is entitled to a fair trial, and in order that he may have that, it is incumbent on every good citizen to withhold any expression which may tend to prejudice him before the court or jury having jurisdiction of his case. This, however, does not impair the right, if not the duty, of every good citizen to set his face against the violation of law in all its forms. If it should appear that a house had been entered and its inhabitants robbed and murdered, the fact that two or three men had been arrested charged with the crimes, would not impair the right, and the duty of every man and woman to denounce the crime, no matter by whomsoever committed. My purpose, therefore, is not to express any opinion prejudicial to the rights of the parties now on trial, but to discuss generally the subject indicated by the heading of this paper.

In order to do this intelligently it is necessary to ascertain the underlying cause for labor troubles, strikes, etc. Is there any real or necessary reason for strife between employers and employees? If so, it ought to be removed, for all agree that such occurrences are detrimental to the interests of all parties. I think that much light will be thrown on the matter by a calm consideration of the respective rights of both parties. Let us state a few propositions that apparently all parties are agreed upon. We are agreed that laboring men may form unions, fix rates of wages, and work for less than the amount thus fixed. We are further agreed that even after employment, they on finding that the wages are not, as they think, sufficient, may demand an increase, and on refusal may strike. Having agreed to all this, let us see what rights, if any, the employers have. Allow me to illustrate.

A number of men having determined to unite their capital in the promotion of some enterprise, such as manufacturing, mining, or what not, enter into an association, company, or corporation, and buy a manufacturing plant, a railroad, or mine. What they desire to do is precisely what other laboring men desire to do, i. e., make money. In order to do this, however, it becomes necessary for them to determine how much wages they can afford to pay for labor. If they find that they cannot procure labor on such terms as will enable them to enjoy a profit from their investment, they may decline to operate their factory or work their mine. The owners may well say, we will pay so much and no more, and the operators may well say, we will take so much and no less. This is purely a voluntary matter on both sides, and neither has a right to complain of the other if an agreement is not reached. But as a rule an agreement is reached, and the miners go to work. By and by, however, the miners discover, as they think, and probably correctly, too, that the owners can afford to pay them more wages. The union holds a meeting, the president of the company to demand an advance. This, without doubt, the union has a right to do; but the company declines to yield to their demand, what then? Up to this time no one's rights have been infringed. The union has a right to demand an advance, and the owners an equal right to refuse. What is the remedy? It is as plain and simple as any thing can be, for the very question suggests the answer. It is for the miners to throw up their jobs and let the owners employ others if they can, at the price they are willing to allow. There are some propositions so clear that it is difficult to throw additional light on them by argument, and this is one of them.

To say that the miners have not only a right to quit work—strike—something which I have already conceded they have a right to do, but the additional right to prevent by force other miners from taking their places is too absurd to admit of a moment's consideration. They have a legal right to use all the persuasive influences at their command, to prevent their fellow miners from taking work at the mine which they have abandoned. Whether they have a moral right to do so is a



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caustic proposition which it is unnecessary to discuss. But when they undertake by force, or intimidation, for intimidation is force, to prevent others from taking the places which they have abandoned, they not only violate the rights of the mine owners but the right as well of the other miners who are willing to take their places and support their families by honest work.

It amounts to nothing to call the so-called "strike breaker" a "scab." Nothing indicates so clearly the weakness of a man's cause as the application by him of ugly names to his opponent. Every one knows that some of the best mechanics and artisans in the country are non-union men.

I believe that in this controversy between employers and employees argument ought to be met by argument, reason ought to be antagonized by reason, and when either party undertakes by force to coerce the other, that party becomes a public enemy, and it then becomes the duty of the state to interpose such force as is necessary to suppress the insurrection, for it is an insurrection.

Civilized society must take care of itself, and no body of men, whether calling themselves strikers or strike-breakers, scabs, or what not, should be allowed to disturb the public peace and interrupt the peaceful vocations of the citizen. Labor unions are as well enough so long as they confine themselves to their own business; but if they will not do for them to commit the mistake of supposing that they have also the right to dictate to contractors, manufacturers, mine owners, etc., whom they shall employ and the wages they shall allow. There are many excellent mechanics and miners who belong to the union; there are equally excellent mechanics and miners who do not; men whose grit, courage, industry and honesty enable them to get along very satisfactorily without joining any union, and who do not need a "card" as a letter of introduction to obtain employment.

In enumerating the rights possessed by the respective parties to the controversy, there is one which I omitted; it is this: The labor unions have a perfect right to refuse to recognize the right of corporations, as such, to enter into contracts for any purpose. As a corollary, corporations, companies or individuals have a right to refuse to recognize or deal with labor unions as such. They may very well say to the union, "we prefer to deal with individuals; men who have intelligence enough to make and enforce their own contracts."

The whole truth of the controversy centers in the single statement, that in countries which, like the British Empire and the United States, are governed by the people who inhabit them, the great doctrine of individual liberty must be recognized, and when applied whether by individuals or associations or unions, the strong arm of the law must be invoked to enforce it. Reason how we may, this complexion we must come at last. There is no getting away from it. Legislation may provide laws for the labor unions or any other unions; nor can any legislature prevent individuals from entirely ignoring unions of all kinds. I have kept the promise

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made in the beginning of this paper to say nothing to the prejudice of the men now on trial for alleged participation in the recent rioting at Nanaimo. I indulge as to each of them the presumption that he is innocent, it is no contempt of court to denounce crime, although some one may be on trial for its commission. I crave the indulgence of the reader while I indulge one other suggestion. It will be found on investigation that in a large majority of instances what are called labor riots are incited by a class of men having little, if any, interest in promoting good, healthy conditions of society. Most of them are the representatives of a foreign socialistic element, utterly unable to appreciate the distinction between license and liberty, totally ignorant of that benign spirit of individual freedom that pertains to the Anglo-Saxon civilization. The names of the Byzantine assassins of the United States were foreign to the English tongue. Take the men who go about over the country preaching the gospel of anarchy under the title of socialism; they are strangers to every principle of modern civilization. Take the Independent Order of International Laborers, otherwise called the I. W. W., which being interpreted means I won't work, they are public enemies, and should be treated as such. Not that men have not a right to loaf, nor is it objectionable that they form a society of loafers; what I am inveighing against is their effort to interfere with honest men who are endeavoring to earn an honest living. If the whole "air and boiling" of them, together with the meanly politicians who flatter them for their votes, were pitched into the sea it would be a national blessing.

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A CORRECTION.
To the Editor:—Sorry to trouble you but there has been a slight error in printing my letter in your last issue. My suggestion was to employ "police women" with whips, not policemen. I took the idea from Miss Asquith's plucky defence of her father from two wild women a few days ago. C.—R.

"OFFENSIVE IMPERIALISM."

To the Editor:—I regret I missed your leader, "Offensive Imperialism," on Saturday; as I only saw it late yesterday afternoon, I have had no time to look up the references you ask. I had in my mind what I remember of your argument when Mr. Winston Churchill said we could not build dreadnoughts in Canada for want of riveters, etc. "For Canada for want of riveters, etc., forsooth, we have plenty of first-class riveters, etc., in Canada, so Mr. W. Churchill is hopelessly mistaken about us," and if that didn't mean we could build dreadnoughts in Canada, what did it mean? It is obviously true, as you said on Saturday, that in time we could build dreadnoughts if we set our minds to it. The important question is, could we do it before they will be needed and would it not have been better for us to have begun with an immediate contribution, followed up by the policy of local development which the Hon. G. E. Foster at his drill hall banquet hinted was coming. Risks are everywhere, and situations change very rapidly, alliances are unsafe, as we will see if you get the writer of the interesting notes, "To-day in Canadian History," to tell the story "How New Caledonia Became French." But, as you say, all this is a long way from water supply, which is our pressing need just now. W. E. HOME.

Sept. 8, 1913.

CONDITIONS AT WELLINGTON.

To the Editor:—Owing to the several misleading statements that are going the rounds of the public press in re the military and special police protection that is being provided for the residents of South Wellington, we would

Clocks are now made to run five years with once winding up. In 1881 the Belgian government placed one of these in a railway station and sealed it. It has kept capital time, having only been four times wound—in 1886, 1891, 1896, and 1901; and there is a clock in the Church of St. Quentin, Mayence, which has only stopped once during a period of 500 years.

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like to call your attention to the man in which our friend Bowser is giving such protection. In the first place, there are something over a dozen special police herded together in an enclosure surrounding the mines, whose sole occupation seems to be waiting for the going to sound calling them to their meals. The few remaining soldiers are stationed at the same place, on the very outside edge of the settlement, ostensibly for the purpose of keeping guard over the special police. The only time the residents get a chance to have a look at them is when they either run out of chewing gum or cigarettes. As for the report about the three mounted soldiers dispersing a meeting which was being held here only exists in the minds of the soldiers themselves, as the men were all out of the camp on the day referred to attending the funeral of one of their respected fellow-workmen. As far as the warning on Labor Day, there were about a half dozen men standing on the walk having a little friendly conversation after receiving their weekly pay cheques from the U. M. W. A. As far as disturbance is concerned, either before or since the strike has been declared, we think that our regular policeman's hand must tremble when he is drawing his salary, he having so little to do to have an excuse for drawing it.

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FIREMAN IS INJURED.

Ernest Vaughan, Falls From a Roof While Fighting a Fire and is Shaken Up.

Ernest Vaughan, of the fire brigade headquarters staff, sustained painful injuries late yesterday when he fell from the roof of the dwelling, 1029 North Park street, while fighting a roof fire.

Vaughan fell twenty feet but landed in a garden patch which saved him from broken bones. He was badly shaken up, though, and bruised. In the police ambulance he was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, where he will have to remain for a day or two.

The fire is the third in the same premises within the past three months and is believed to have been caused by sparks from the chimney of a nearby laundry. The damage was almost nil.

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Third Place is Manager Delmas' Object; Rain Stopped Entire League Yesterday; Zimmerman Joins Local Team at Tacoma

"We should finish in third place at our present gait, but we will now devote our energies to building up a pennant winner for 1914," was the cheering cry handed out by Secretary McConnell, of the Bees, this morning. "Zimmerman has joined the club once more and will play in right field, while I expect that Bobby Steele will also be with the team when they return home next Monday. Steele has been laid up with a sore shoulder but is now in shape and will certainly get a chance to make good in the Northwestern

league. The team looks better than at any time during the past season and with Delmas driving his team along at top speed, a first division berth is in sight."

No Games Yesterday

Every club in the Northwestern league was idle yesterday because of the activities of Old Juke Pluvius, but there will be double headers this week to make up for the lost ground. Portland has been able to play but two days in the last two weeks because of rain, while Dugdale's grand opening was spoiled yesterday because of the continued downpour. Victoria should take about five games from Tacoma this week, while Seattle will certainly drop a bunch to Spokane. This will place the Bees in a grand place to grab that third place as the Seattle club go to Portland next week, where the going will be just as hard. Victoria winged at Vancouver, but Manager Delmas looks for at least an even break with the Bees on this series.

Connie Mack's Athletics have an eleven-point lead over the Giants when it comes to batting, the latest figures for the major leagues being given below:

Club	AB	R	H	SH	Pct.
New York	4460	558	1224	281	87.254
Brooklyn	4038	523	1198	253	86.274
Philadelphia	3984	515	1064	212	84.269
Pittsburgh	4175	567	1120	234	83.258
Chicago	3942	513	1083	215	82.252
Cincinnati	4154	585	1100	185	82.252
Boston	3930	495	1011	135	82.252
St. Louis	3995	447	1010	143	81.253

A new pitcher that President Dugdale has been angling for since August 15 will join Seattle. His name is Applegate, and he comes from Lewiston, Idaho. Umpire Monahan gave Dugdale the tip that Applegate was worth looking over. The young fellow is five feet eleven inches in height. Lewiston is in the Midwest league. West, who is now with Tacoma, has played in the same league with Applegate.

There were two reasons why Manager Birmingham, of the Naps, withdrew the requests for waivers on Cy Falkenberg. One was that Clark Griffith would not waive; the other that Cy proceeded to pitch his best games of the season just as a protest against going back to Toledo, where he was to be sent in exchange for Lefty James.

Both John McGraw and Connie Mack doubtless believe their respective teams will top the lists when the major league season ends October 5. But each can hardly help realizing that unless his men play better ball than they have exhibited on most of their recent appearances, the plans for post-season activities of the Giants and Athletics may have to undergo sudden and radical revision.

In the British Isles there are 363 persons to the square mile, while in Australia it is the average.

GUNN LEADS AT

BAT FOR SEASON

Averages of Old Country Cricket Stars; Tourists Will Play Cowichan

The leading batsmen of the old country County matches recently concluded are given below:

Club	Runs	Wicket	Avg.
Gunn (G.)	1672	170	82.67
E. L. Kidd	1041	144	68.67
Mead (C. P.)	1017	170	64.53
Woolley (F. B.)	960	166	58.41
Hobbs	881	156	57.19
Hearne (J. W.)	856	189	47.96
H. B. Laiden	847	153	55.36
P. F. Warner	819	118	69.42
Bowley	783	201	43.93
Gunn (J. J.)	742	110	67.45
P. R. Johnson	687	105	65.41
Braund	588	257	40.36
Beymour (Jas.)	569	124	45.89
C. H. Abercrombie	547	127	42.99
Quarrie	530	129	38.54
Makepeace	471	107	44.02
G. L. Jessop	435	107	37.24
Harrison	395	138	27.25
Tarrant	344	119	28.91

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 9.—The In-cognito Cricket Club, of London, was in the lead at the close of play yesterday in a match with the Merion eleven of this city. The visitors scored 319 runs for the loss of eight wickets, while the home team was retired for a total of 105.

The wicket was decidedly soft after the Sunday rain, and on winning the toss, Col. C. E. Greenway, the In-cognito captain, decided to bat Merion last first. This was thought to be a risky experiment, but that his judgment was correct was borne out by the events of the day.

There is every prospect of the Australians playing in Victoria once more. Immediately after their match in Victoria, where they will remain a full week at least prior to their departure for Australia on October 1. They will play here September 25, 26 and 27, the intention of local promoters being to match them with Cowichan on the first day and a team of twenty-two juniors on the last two days.

HOW WE STAND

Club	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Vancouver	57	58	49.15	57	58	49.15
Portland	75	42	64.15	75	42	64.15
Seattle	76	34	68.77	76	34	68.77
Victoria	78	42	65.38	78	42	65.38
Tacoma	65	53	55.42	65	53	55.42
Spokane	62	53	54.05	62	53	54.05

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CANADIAN RECORDS.

Toronto, Sept. 9.—Three Canadian track records went by the board at the Canadian National Exhibition Athletic meeting, Saturday afternoon. The records broken by Don P. Lippincott, Philadelphia; Ted Meredith, Philadelphia, and the three-mile handicap by Hannes Kolehmainen. Kolehmainen's time was 14:41. Lippincott did the 100 yards in 9.3-5 seconds. In the quarter mile event Meredith set a new Canadian record by doing it in 47.1-5.

AMATEUR CARDS FOR LOCAL STARS

Victoria Clubs Secure Valuable Players in Reinstating of Island Leaguers

Professional soccer is dead in Victoria, and with the granting of reinstatement to a number of former members of the Victoria Pro. Club, the situation is cleared for the opening of the Victoria and District Soccer League on October 4. The B.C.A.A.A. has seen fit to give amateur cards to all those who applied for reinstatement with the further intimation that all those desiring to be whitewashed can secure their cards, the following motion having been adopted by the Amateur Union:

"All applications for reinstatement which have been received have been passed upon, and those who applied are now eligible to compete in the amateur league."

"Further, that all applicants for reinstatement up to the date of the annual meeting which may have been endorsed by the local boards will also be granted reinstatement."

"It is further agreed that any violation of the amateur laws will be dealt with strictly in accordance with the constitution."

The next meeting of the union will be held on September 27, so that more reinstatements may be looked for.

Besides the entrance of the Victoria to the senior division, the Wards and the Hibernians have secured dates and they will line up with a majority of the reinstated players on their club. Several of the latest amateurs will join other clubs, and the Wards will secure a couple, and the Hibernians look to have landed the pick of the former Island champions. They will have most of the following players out at their first practice: Adams, Robertson, Wilkie, Ferris, Allen, Pierson, Conlin, Wilson, Newlands, Crawford, Thomas, McGuire, Whitaker and Miller.

TREMENDOUS CROWD WILL WITNESS BOUT

Vancouver, Sept. 7.—The advance demand for seat reservations for the Willie Ritchie-Freddie Welsh, world's championship contest, which is to take place here on Saturday afternoon, September 20, has been so big, although it is still more than a week before the match, that the promoters have made arrangements to increase the seating capacity of the Brighouse Arena. The place will now seat nearly 5,500 people and it is to be arranged so that 5,500 spectators can be seated for the big match. At the prices, \$3, \$5, and \$15, there will be a mass capacity of nearly 50,000. It will be the largest sale ever taken in at a lightweight contest. The match will be the first contest for the world's lightweight title ever staged on the American continent. The only other battle for this title was fought in England between Dick Burge and "Kid" Lavigne.

While the weather at the time the match will be staged is usually clear, there is of course a possibility of rain and the moving picture people have made the suggestion that a canvas on rollers be fixed up so that it can be used or not as the occasion demands.

Willie Ritchie has entered into negotiations with a well-known picture concern to sell his interests in the pictures immediately.

Ritchie made an addition to his camp when he sent for Ray Campbell. The latter was on his way to "Frisco" but when he received a wire from the champion he hurried back to Vancouver. Ritchie's list of sparring partners now includes Campbell, Alvarado, Martin Murphy and Bob Lewis.

INTERNATIONAL CUP.

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RACING RESUMED AT VANCOUVER TRACK

Vancouver, Sept. 9.—The results at Minors yesterday were as follows:

First race, 5 1-2 furlongs, selling—Gilbert Rose, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00, won; Elgin, \$2.50 and \$3.50, second; Bummet III, \$3.50, third. Time, 1:11.

Second race, 7 furlongs, selling—Starter, \$13.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00, won; Lehigh, \$3.50 and \$5.00, second; Commendation, \$21.50, third. Time, 1:31 4-5.

Third race, 6 1-2 furlongs, selling—Safarior, \$13.40, \$6.00 and \$4.00, won; Golden Agnes, \$7.20 and \$5.20, second; Barium, \$4.40, third. Time, 1:24 2-5.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs, selling—King Elk, \$4.00, \$3.50 and \$2.50, won; Dutch Rock, \$4.20 and \$3.20, second; Ed. G., \$2.50, third. Time, 1:04.

Fifth race, 5 1-2 furlongs, selling—Providence, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.20, won; Moller, \$4.50 and \$3.50, second; Lady Pender, \$5.50, third. Time, 1:11.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Eddie Mott, \$23.20, \$3.50 and \$5.20, won; Southern Gold, \$4.40 and \$3.20, second; Stoneman, \$3.20, third. Time, 1:46 4-5.

Seventh race, 1 mile, selling—Tremarzo, \$5.50, \$3.00, \$2.50, won; Zinkand, \$7.20 and \$3.50, second; Prince of Bohemia, \$3.40, third. Time, 1:47 4-5.

Eighth race, 4 furlongs, selling—Mrs. Mc., \$4.50, \$3.40 and \$2.40, won; Va-va, \$5.50 and \$2.40, second; Elmitax, \$2.40, third. Time, 50 3-5.

Ninth race, 5 1-2 furlongs, selling—Merlight, \$10.00, \$3.20 and \$2.50, won; Judge Henderson, \$2.50 and \$2.40, second; Dr. Neuffer, \$3.50, third. Time, 1:11 2-5.

AS SEEN FROM THE PRESS BOX

Looks as though it is Vancouver for the pennant.

Victoria is still after a first division berth.

Brooklyn is said to be a rattling fine first-sacker.

Seattle have been picking up in the past week. They broke even at Portland.

This fellow Swain should make good in the majors, if they can stand him striking out occasionally.

Victoria will have a whole raft of young twirlers for next year, and it's a cinch that they will be stronger in the box in 1914.

Hap Meyers is still second in the National League base stealing column with an average of .38 per game.

When the major league scouts get through with their drafting there won't be much for the Class AA teams.

McGinnity says he will have a pennant winner next year, but then there's a long time to wait for that big event.

Morgan McGraw's Giants have lost their run-getting art and it is brilliant pitching that is keeping them in the lead.

Matthewson has lost his last three starts, while Demaree has lost but three all year.

Wait McCredie says the Northwestern League will have representation in Portland next season, which practically settles this point.

Portland will have a post season series between the Coast leaguers and the Colts early next month.

On the form that they have been showing the past month, Victoria has a club that is second only to Vancouver.

Delmas has been booting a few of late, but just take a peep at the clouting averages of the local captain.

Bob Brown will have but a shadow of his present ball club left for next year. Half of the Beavers go to the big leagues.

CANADIANS THIRD IN PALMA SHOOT

Camp Perry, Ohio, Sept. 9.—The United States team won the Palma trophy. The scores: Canada, 1675; Sweden, 1484; Peru, 1465.

J. Schuler, adjutant to the Canadian rifle team, gives the cause for the poor showing as follows:

"We attribute our defeat in the Palma match to-day to the vagaries of our ammunition in strong head wind, which conditions had not been met with in our practices. Experts here say the new bullet used by Canadians is not suitable for the conditions, it failing to hold the elevation. Major Hart-McHarg consented to coach the team instead of shooting, at the request of the commandant and myself."

BOISE CAPTURES TRISTATE PENNANT

Boise, Idaho, Sept. 9.—The Western Tri-state League has finished its second season. The league started this year with six teams, but near mid-season Los Angeles and Baker, Ore., dropped out. The season was then divided into two sections.

Walla Walla finished the first half in the lead. Boise finished in the lead in the second half. For the entire season Boise leads Walla, Walla by two games and is credited with having won the 1913 championship.

The following is the final standing of the clubs for the second half of the season:

Club	W	L	Pct.
Boise	32	22	.593
North Yakima	27	27	.500
Walla Walla	26	28	.481
Pendleton	23	31	.434

Former big leaguer, who is Bob Brown's most reliable box artist just now. He was a member of the Tacoma club in 1911.

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SPORTING NEWS

NEW RUGBY CLUB FOR LOCAL UNION

Fifth Regiment Will Have Strong Fifteen This Season; Meeting This Week

Secretary A. D. B. Scott, of the Victoria Rugby Union, has not yet heard from the All-Blacks with regard to dates in Victoria, but he states that the tourists will in all probability be seen in action at Oak Bay some time next month. The All-Blacks have been offered a series at Vancouver and the Victoria fifteen has cabled an offer of \$500 for two games against an All-Blacks team on a Saturday and also give the local rugby enthusiasts a mid-week game.

It is rumored that the Fifth Regiment will enter a team in the senior rugby series at the annual meeting of the Victoria Union, which will be held this week. Capt. George Heinke, who handled the Oak Bay club last year, is said to be the prime mover in the organization of the Fifth Regiment team and he expects to field an exceptionally strong team for this season's scheduled games. Whether or not the Oak Bay fifteen will retire is not known, but the officers will be getting lining up a team if at all possible. With Ross Johnson, the star full back, gone, also Cotton Brynjolfson, the Oaks will have to do a lot of hustling if they are to be a factor in the championship.

In the intermediate series it is certain that the University School and Wanderers, also the Law Students will enter teams, while the Welsh Club may secure enough good intermediates to place a team in the second division. It is felt by the senior clubs that they must have a junior league in which to develop their promising material and every effort will be made to have an intermediate league organized at the annual meeting of the Victoria Union.

Another important matter that will be discussed will be the registration of players last year. Steps will be taken to prevent a repetition of the default. The annual tour of the California champions will also come before the meeting.

TRAVERS SCORES HIS FOURTH WIN

When W. J. Travers won the United States amateur golf title on Saturday he set a new record, it being the fourth time that he has captured the American honor. The winners to date are:

Year	Place	Winner
1895	Newport	C. B. Macdonald
1896	Shinn's Hills	H. J. Whigham
1897	Wheaton	H. J. Whigham
1898	Morris Co.	F. J. Douglass
1899	Onwentsia	H. M. Harriman
1900	Garden City	W. J. Travis
1901	Atlantic City	W. J. Travis
1902	Glen View	Louis N. James
1903	Nassau	W. J. Travis
1904	Baltusrol	H. C. Egan
1905	Wheaton	H. C. Egan
1906	Englewood	E. M. Byers
1907	Euclid	J. D. Travers
1908	Garden City	J. D. Travers
1909	Wheaton	R. A. Gardner
1910	Brookline	W. C. Fowles, Jr.
1911	Apawamis	H. C. Egan
1912	Wheaton	J. D. Travers

ST. LEGER ENTRIES.

London, Sept. 8.—Following are the probable starters in the St. Leger, the last of the five classic races, which will be run to-morrow at Doncaster: Anner, Agbode, Kingborough, Bachelor's Wedding, Night Hawk, Louvois, Arda, Jameson, Roseworthy, Birmingham, White Magic. No prices are yet available, there being absolutely no post betting to date, but it is probable that Louvois, second in the Derby, will be made favorite.

MINORU TRACK ON FINAL WEEK

Horses Will Be Shipped to Victoria on Sunday; St. Leger To-morrow's Feature

For the opening day of the Victoria race meet at the Willows on September 20, all of the crack sprinters and distance gallopers now at Minoru track, will face the barrier at the capital. The decision of the management of the Minoru track to close their summer meet next Saturday gives the horsesmen an entire week in which to ship their horses to Victoria and prepare them for the elaborate racing programme that has been outlined for the local meet. The part-mutuel machines will be shipped to Victoria a few days ahead of the local opening, and everything will be ready when starter Eddie Tribe springs the "gate" for the first event of the seven race programme.

A large force of men has been engaged at the Willows for the past ten days in getting the local circuit in shape, and the horse owners will have no chance to kick at the manner in which things have been prepared for their comfort. At Minoru park this Saturday, the big event of closing week will be the annual Krug Handicap of \$1,000, which will be run on get-away day at a distance of a mile and seventy yards. The handicap will bring out the best distance performers at the track and should produce one of the best races of the year.

St. Leger Handicap. While interest in the St. Leger, the last of the five classic races of the year to be decided in England, is local only shown in so far as sweepstakes are concerned, there are those who like to know something of an event in the glorious racing game it will probably come as a surprise that the field which will go to the post at Doncaster on Wednesday will not be up to the average.

Disappointment will be felt that the Derby, which was the premier event of the season, the winner, the stunner, was not a starter. All racing men were expecting to hear of a great battle waged in which the result of the Derby would be confirmed or otherwise. Eleven horses will go to the post, consisting of Anner, the King's horse, Agbode, Kingborough, Bachelor's Wedding, Night Hawk, Louvois, Arda, Jameson, Roseworthy, Birmingham and White Magic.

The race looks a gift to Louvois, who has simply to give a repetition of his running in the Two Thousand Guineas and The Derby to romp home.

DEFENDING CRAFT.

Bristol, R. I., Sept. 8.—A 70-foot all-steel sloop of keel type is to be built at the Herreshoff yards here as a candidate to defend the America cup in the race with Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger in September of next year.

"Nat" Herreshoff, designer of many defenders, made this announcement following his return from New York, where he conferred with members of the New York Yacht Club. The owner, or the syndicate of owners, of the vessel is not announced.

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE.

Los Angeles, Sept. 8.—Jess Willard, as principal, McArney as promoter, and ten others interested in the fight in Vernon Arena, on August 22, were held last yesterday to the superior court on charges of murder in the second degree. This was a victory for the prosecution, which succeeded in altering the first charge of manslaughter which had resulted from the death of John Young, who fought Willard.

BOWLING LEAGUE MEETS ON THURSDAY

Canadian Puget Sound took two out of three from the Colinet Club in the opening game of the City Bowling League which was rolled at the Arcade Alley last night. The scores were splendid for the initial game and prospects point to a great season at the indoor sport. A meeting of the City Bowling League will be held at the Arcade Alley on Thursday night, when it is hoped to get the teams together and arrange a schedule for the coming year. Ten teams have entered and a double series will be arranged. Manager Fox also announces that he will hold tournaments on Thanksgiving Day and during Christmas holidays, so that there will be plenty of competition for the bowlers. Lindstrom, of the winning team, made 293; Clayton had high score, 297, and also high average, 189.

The scores:

Colinet Team	1st	2nd	3rd
Smith	144	172	161
Durham	87	98	127
Green	97	127	100
Hawkins	154	129	183
Clayton	168	207	194
Totals	670	731	765
Grand total	2166		

Canadian Puget Team.

	1st	2nd	3rd
Lindstrom	134	203	159
Farr	147	127	100
Sunquist	155	167	157
Talley	97	132	157
Freeman	158	152	157
Totals	698	771	740
Grand total	2169		

EASTERN SPORTSMAN VISITS THE CAPITAL

One of the most prominent sportsmen in Eastern Canada, F. D. Ross, editor-in-chief of the Ottawa Evening Journal, is spending a few days in Victoria after an extensive trip up the west coast. Mr. Ross, accompanied by Mrs. Ross, went from Vancouver to Skagway and thence to Lake Bennett, returning by way of Victoria. Both are delighted with the capital and pronounced it one of the finest cities that they have ever visited in either the United States or Canada. They will leave about Wednesday on their return journey to Ottawa.

Mr. Ross was up to three years ago one of the trustees of the Minto cup and has also held the presidency of the Ottawa Golf Club and other athletic organizations. He was a prominent carman in the early days of the C. A. A. C. and has figured in several championship crews. He was also a hockey star in the amateur leagues of a dozen years ago and still maintains an active interest in the many branches of sports. Mrs. Ross is one of the most prominent social leaders of the capital, as well as one of the cleverest lady golfers in the east.

TENDERS ALL EQUAL

Mayor Asks Prosecution of Printers' Trust; Finance Committee to Report.

When the tenders for some printing were opened last night by the city council it was found that the five firms tendering had proposed exactly identical figures, \$3.70 per page.

Indignation was expressed by the councillors. Mayor Morley thought that the firms should be prosecuted as a trust, while Alderman Cuthbert said it was a "rotten" way of doing business, as it left the thing open to a lobby and a question of personal favoritism. Alderman Gleason's proposal to give the finance committee power to act was strenuously opposed by Alderman Cuthbert, much to the offence of the chairman of that committee, who declared that a slur was being cast. Alderman Hember said it didn't matter who got the work as the firms would "divvy up."

The finance committee will report on a selection.

Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

CHURCH LADS' BRIGADE IS GROWING FORCE

Secretary and Chief Staff Officer Tells of Organization's Purpose

Cadet-Colonel Commandant W. M. Gee, secretary and chief staff officer of the Church Lads' Brigade, the headquarters of which are at Aldwych House, London, England, arrived at the Empress hotel last Saturday in the course of a tour of America, and to-morrow evening will meet some of the "Old Boys" at Christ Church Cathedral schoolroom with the idea of re-enthusing them with the spirit of the order and forming a branch of the brigade here.

The Church Lads' Brigade, the Cadet-Colonel told a Times representative, was founded 22 years ago, the first company being that of St. Andrew's, which was organized at Fulham by Mr. Gee himself. Other companies shortly afterwards were formed and within a few months the central organization was started, which had charge of all the branches which have been founded since that time. Working from the very beginning in connection with the church, the Church Lads' Brigade has from its very inception been operating with a view of attaching the young manhood of England and the colonies to the church and the colonies to the church.

Each parish has its company; the companies are formed into battalions, and, following the idea that their training must be military as well as religious, one of the rules is that the Lieutenant-Commandant must be an army officer or ex-army officer. Unlike most other organizations of the kind, when it is remembered that there are 1,300 companies of the lads in England and the overseas dominions, this means that the organization is training and influencing in the best possible way an appreciable percentage of the youth of the country. The church work is left entirely to the clergy, and practically every company has its religious obligation generally attendance at Bible class and one church attendance weekly.

"Five per cent. of the ordination candidates in England," said Mr. Gee, "are drawn from old brigade lads. It is the mainly side of Christianity which we emphasize, and it tells in every walk in life. I am a strong believer in boxing, football, cricket, etc., and all these things form part of the boys' training. They have shooting too, with miniature rifles. We should like to be able to give more liberal training in this respect, but ranges are somewhat difficult to get in England. Then the lads have house games, such as chess, etc., and, as nearly every company has its own club, and in everything that is taken up quality rather than numbers is the ideal, there is a splendid esprit de corps about the whole organization. Eugen Sandow is director of the physical training, and on special occasions personally instructs the boys. Periodically he has all the physical instructors up before him and gives them a rehearsal in the wonderful exercises which he has arranged; our lads thus getting the benefit of one of the most splendid systems of physical training that has ever been discovered."

"We supply a lot of the navy lads," continued Mr. Gee, "while a large proportion of our boys go into the Territorials. We carry the military system right through their training and have always had high military men as governors and commandants, the first of our generals being General Lord Chelmsford, and after him Field Marshal Lord Methuen. Field Marshal Lord Grenfell is our present head, and, like his predecessors, takes a most active part in the work, and is keenly interested in the lads. Despite the over-emphasis of the fighting side of it, I think it would be a great loss to the world not to have military training. There is nothing like it for teaching man esprit de corps and self-control. I would quote Dr. King, the late Bishop of Lincoln, who said that the idea of the anti-militarist was that a soldier was trained to kill men, but that his contention was that military training taught a man to lay down his life for another. The only way to keep peace is to be strong."

Referring to the position of the Church Lads' Brigade in the overseas dominions, Mr. Gee, who is paying his second visit to the Dominion, said that Cape Town had the strongest brigade, although even little St. Helena, which organized its first company twenty years ago, had three companies. There is a company among the aborigines in Yarrabah, North Queensland, and the senior company in Canada is at Dartmouth, N. S. In the overseas dominions, as in England, the boys have to pay a weekly subscription, the idea being that this inculcates the principle of thrift, and, curious as it may seem, Mr. Gee says that it is easier to get the money from the poorer lads than from those better off.

Mr. Gee, who arrived in America on August 10, and has travelled across the United States to Victoria, was greatly impressed by the splendid physique of the American lads. The Canadian boy, he says, he had found in most instances a pronounced individuality. He was delighted with the success of the boys last year at Montreal, where they went into the cadet militia camp and carried off a number of the best prizes.

James, four years old, had been naughty, to the point of evoking a whipping from his long-suffering mother, and all day long a desire for revenge rankled in his little bosom. At length bedtime came, and, kneeling before her, he implored a blessing for each member of the family individually, she alone being conspicuous by her absence. Then rising from his devout posture the little suppliant fixed a keenly triumphant look upon her face, saying, as he turned to climb to bed, "I s'pose you noticed you wasn't in it."

OFF TO ARIZONA

C. H. Clapp, of the Dominion Geological Survey, is Leaving for New Post.

Leaving Vancouver Island very shortly to take a chair at the University of Arizona, C. H. Clapp, of the Dominion geological survey, had some interesting things to tell the Times last evening on the work that has been and is being done in connection with surveying the island. Mr. Clapp, in addition to his appointment in the university, is also taking a post as head of the geological survey of Arizona, a department of the state which is just being organized.

Seen at the Empress hotel last evening Mr. Clapp remarked that there were two years' detail to be worked out in the geology of Vancouver Island in order to catch up with the topographers. "Some of the sheets dealing with the geology of the island have already been published," he said, "but these were more or less of a preliminary nature. I do not think it will be long before detailed geological sheets of the Victoria and Nanaimo districts will be available. Yet it will be two years at least before the detailed sheets of the island so far as I have done are completed."

Mr. Clapp further stated that the topographers have done as far north as a line from Alberni to Comox—but their detailed sheets will be a long time yet in appearing; however, they have already issued detailed reports on their work on the Victoria and Saanich districts.

Mr. Clapp emphasized the inestimable importance of topographical investigation and its bearing on the settlement of the island. Few things are more important and the saving on the laying out of roads and trails accomplished by this means is enormous. The sheets when completed are available to everyone, whereas private companies would never allow public inspection of their plans gratis. This island has never had a really detailed geological survey until the geological survey started their operations. True it is that Dr. Dawson made a cursory survey of the northern end, while the coal areas were later surveyed by Mr. Richardson. But this also was more of less incomplete.

"As a matter of fact," remarked Mr. Clapp, "Vancouver Island was pretty much of a terra incognita until the geological survey started work on it." When Mr. Clapp leaves for the south, his place on the survey will be taken by Mr. Mackenzie, who is at present his assistant.

VERSATILES GIVEN LEASE.

Opposition Claimed Question Was One for Next Year's Council to Deal With.

In spite of opposition from Mayor Morley and Alderman McNeill on the grounds that the question was properly one for next year's council to deal with, the city council last night granted a lease of Stadcomb park for 1914 to E. Stuart White for the purpose of giving entertainments with his Versatiles. Alderman McNeill's statement that people were complaining of the character of shows and of the personal conduct of the performers before and after the show was denied by several aldermen, and the chairman of the parks committee added that by next year he hoped to have the park fenced and a closing hour imposed.



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guests at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. John Archer are stay-

ing at the Empress hotel from Denver.

A. M. Burns, of Ottawa, is registered

at the Empress hotel.

H. Samuels, of Montreal, is staying

at the Empress hotel.

F. W. Lukes, of Toronto, is staying

at the Empress hotel.

E. M. Foster, of Vancouver, has ar-

rived at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bath, of Ottawa, are

among the guests at the Empress hotel.

J. E. Milligan, of Vancouver, is re-

gistered at the Dominion hotel.

J. O. Perfect is in the city, he is a

guest of the Dominion hotel.

A. Oldershaw, of Vancouver, is a

guest at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. D. C. Reid returned to the city

on Sunday, having attended the Van-

couver fair.

David Taylor, of New York city, is

in the city for a few days. He is re-

gistered at the Dominion hotel.

John Claxton and Mrs. Claxton, of

Barrie, Ont., are among those regis-

tered at the Dominion hotel.

Wm. Stewart, the well-known fruit

merchant of Vancouver, is registered

at the Dominion hotel.

W. Jackson, of Vancouver, is in the

city. He is staying at the Hotel Domi-

nion.

D. Smith is visiting the city for a

short time from Cowichan, and is stay-

ing at the Strathcona hotel.

North Vancouver people in the city

at present include Peter Work, who is

a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

B. F. Crysdale and Mrs. Crysdale

are here from Vancouver. They came

to the Strathcona hotel yesterday.

John L. Heim is a guest at the

Strathcona hotel, where he arrived

yesterday from Vancouver, Ont.

Frank Fehlig and Miss Fehlig, of

St. Louis, are among those registered

at the Dominion hotel.

Sir Alfred and Lady Gelder, of Hull,

are staying at the Empress hotel. Sir

Alfred is M. P. for South Lincoln.

Francis Gregory is here from Lon-

don, England, and is registered at the

Empress hotel.

William C. Wiendick is among the

guests at the Empress hotel from New

York City.

A. S. Killam, of Vancouver, arrived

in the city yesterday from Vancouver

and is registered at the Empress hotel.

C. H. Clapp, of the Dominion Geo-

logical Survey, is here from Ottawa and

is staying at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Ward are here

from London and are staying at the

Empress hotel.

Mrs. J. C. Gray is a visitor in the

city from Vancouver. She is staying

at the Strathcona hotel.

F. De Grey, of New Westminster, is

registered for a few days at the Em-

press hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. John Archer, of Dun-

can, are among the guests at the Em-

press hotel.

Thomas M. Toher and family com-

pose a party at the Strathcona hotel,

where they arrived yesterday from

Seattle.

Mrs. E. P. Edwards came to the

capital yesterday from Port Townsend

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CITIZENS COMMITTEE ARRANGE VAUDEVILLE

Arena to Be Scene of Entertainment; Audited Statement Laid on Council Table

This afternoon at 4.30 the carnival executive will discuss the matter of ways and means of clearing the \$10,000 deficit from the carnival, and will fix upon the date of the vaudeville entertainment which it has been decided to give at the Arena within the next few weeks. Arrangements have already been made to have the hall, and the only thing that remains to be done is to fix the date and sell the tickets. It is probable that the former will be some time near the end of the present month, and the committee hope to be able to dispose of about 10,000 tickets at a dollar each, which, while not entirely covering the deficit owing to the expenses in connection with the hall, would at least lift a large part of the amount.

The vaudeville will be arranged in such a manner that, while continuous entertainment will be provided, the public will also take part in the proceedings, which will be in the nature of a masquerade carnival. The idea of giving a ball at the Empress hotel had to be ultimately abandoned by the committee owing to the impossibility of accommodating more than 400 people there, and to make the occasion profitable it would have been necessary to make a larger charge for the tickets than most people would be willing to pay. If the vaudeville at the Arena is not sufficient to meet the entire amount, it is probable that a smaller ball will be given to make up the remainder of the sum. Meantime the committee is urging those who promised contributions to the carnival fund to send these in, as \$2,500 of the subscriptions guaranteed still remain unpaid.

The statement as submitted last evening to the council, and audited by Messrs. Lemay and Grimmon, is as follows:

Receipts.	
To subscriptions	\$23,863.36
Premiums not collected	(2,845.00)
To concession burnt area	\$ 390.00
Less rent of same	166.00
To interest on saving account	240.00
To naval sports	186.50
To less expense	186.50
Lacrosse match	82.30
Less expense	41.15
Carnival march scores	20.35
Balance in hand from previous report	6.33
Total	\$23,438.96

To deficiency from which must be deducted such part of the subscriptions (\$2,845.00) promised but not yet collected as may be subsequently collected

Expenditure.	
By Administration	\$1,252.50
Salaries to Sept. 30	474.00
Rent to Sept. 30	236.35
Printing and stationery	31.25
Telephone	11.00
Postage	66.00
Auto hire	12.00
Sundries	12.00
Total	2,182.99

Publicity.	
Postage	152.85
Advertising, papers and magazines	1,410.93
Telegrams	12.52
Press work	190.00
Folders and posters	1,350.35
Signs	33.64
Float at Portland	239.00
Salaries	90.00
Travelling expenses	200.00
Tram car advertising	60.29
Photos	10.50
Sundries	17.50
Total	3,800.16

Campaign.	
Printing	231.45
Salaries	150.00
Signs	40.20
Pitting up lights	14.84
Postage	18.00
Telegrams and phone	22.38
Half and music	47.60
Collector	47.50
Sundries	21.70
Total	665.07

Entertainment.	
Autos and car tickets for officers and men of visiting ships	1,430.75
Auto hire, Oaklands party	50.00
Launch hire	15.00
Ball tickets	38.00
Re Highway cup	47.35
Sundries	18.75
Smoking concert to visiting officers and men of visiting ships	640.75
Total	2,280.20

Expense.	
Share of moving office	30.00
Purchase of K. K. K. regalia	250.00
Fittings	250.00
Telegrams	11.25
Printing	7.50
Legal expenses	185.00
Badges and pins	25.00
Travelling expenses	20.00
Sundries	20.00
Total	521.81

By postcards.	
Postcards sold	125.00
Less postcard sold	83.10
Total	41.90

By badges, rosettes and fobs.	
Less ditto sold	14.40
Total	265.60

Intelligence bureau.	
Naval and military tournament	1,000.00
Insurance congress	213.00
Flower show	1,450.80
Less receipts	262.45
Total	1,440.35

Water events.	
Less lanterns sold	90.00
Total	4,470.87

Field sports.	
Less receipts	415.75
Total	1,970.56

Parade.	
Pressmen's Pow Wow	160.16
Musical festival	1,067.30
Less receipts	826.50
Total	240.96

Edie's band.	
Other bands	1,425.25
Total	2,172.50

St. John Ambulance.	
Programmes	220.00
Less sales	83.40
Total	136.60

Firemen's sports.	
Decorations	2,318.10
Honorarium to secretary	1,000.00
Naval regatta	225.49
Aviation	746.60
Fireworks	2,085.00
Balloon gymnastics	50.00
Polo gymnastics	145.00
Reception to guests	45.00
Polo tournament	244.25
Motor endurance race	150.00
Bowling Club prizes	100.00
Rent of Arena	600.00
Tattoo display	37.00
Typewriter, chairs, etc.	81.20
Total	\$34,229.77

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Tango and Roman are the newest colors shown in New York, while brown, white and black are just as much in fashion. Aligrettes, wings and fancy mounts add greatly to give the finishing touches to many of the beautiful models. Pretty ribbon, ostrich, nainmid and other trimmings are used in many instances. Small, natty and medium-sized hats are the season's favorite styles; a large number in plush, velvets, satins, velours and felt. Two distinctive models are briefly outlined here:

Beautiful Model Toque with drooping brim and soft crown made of brown silk velvet and trimmed with a fur band of black ermine, crown a smart bow of terra cotta ribbon and a dark silk rose of flame color on side adds greatly to the appearance of this very elegant model.

Large Parisian Model Black Velvet Hat with drooping brim slightly raised at side, tastefully trimmed with a large black butterfly of Chantilly lace on front of crown and a single rose in American Beauty shades on edge of brim at the back. One of the smartest hats of the season, this.



Exclusive Styles in New Fall Suits and Coats

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—First Floor

Whatever Dame Fashion has smiled upon approvingly for Fall and Winter 1913 is shown in our comprehensive display of the season's styles. In all our models of Gowns, Suits and Coats you will find that note of distinction which is used and adequately characterized by the French in the single word "chic." To this add high quality and price moderation and you will have the trinity that make this store the logical headquarters of Victoria's well-dressed women. Description is given here to a few distinctive models:

Beautiful Model Suit in raisin color broadcloth; the coat in the new long back effect, and showing cutaway front, tastefully trimmed at waist line with buttons, velvet collar and cuffs, lined satin. The skirt showing shirred back and slashed on side trimmed with self-covered buttons. Price **\$75.00**

Handsome Alice Blue and Black Mixture Suit, the coat with gathered back and cutaway front trimmed at the lower part with piping and buttons; collars and cuffs trimmed with plain Alice blue, the waist finished with belt and caught in front with ornamental frog; plain skirt, slashed and buttoned on side. Price **\$47.50**

The New Mannish Stroller Suit in a good shade of tan. This suit includes vest with three pockets and a plain slashed skirt with inverted pockets at hips. The coat perfectly tailored. Price **\$35.00**

Smart Broadtail Velour Coat with set-in sleeves, large cuffs and velvet collar, fastened on front with large velvet and silk frog, lined throughout with blue and mauve shot silk. Price **\$60.00**

Effective Brown and Black Diagonal Cloth Coat showing large black velvet revers, brown broadcloth collar and large patent belt, set-in sleeves, lined throughout with brown satin. Price **\$35.00**

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—First Floor

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Dress Goods and Silks For Fall, 1913

—Main Floor

Superb is the word that most fittingly describes the Fall display of Dress Goods and Silks. The section is not only a feast of radiant beauty, but is ready to help you with every dress goods want the Fall wardrobe asks for. Some hints:

Embroidered All-Silk Crepe de Chine in colors cerise, old rose, sky and champagne; 40 inches wide. Per yd., **\$3.00**

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—Basement

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Dent's Cape Gloves in tans and English reds, embroidered in self and red stitchings, two clasps. Per pair, **\$1.75**, **\$1.50** and **\$1.00**

Trefousse Pique Sewn Gloves with heavy embroidered back; black, white and tans, embroidered in self, white and black. Per pair **\$2.00**

Cape Motor Gloves, with large cuffs and straps at wrist, in tans and browns. Per pair, **\$3.00** and **\$2.50**

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TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

In the "Loyalist" newspaper of September 9, 1825, mention is made of "an expeditious trip" on the steamer Niagara, which went from "York to Prescott and back again in something like less than four days, touching at the ports of Kingston, Gananoque and Brockville, going and returning." Now this was a vessel with a history. In the "Loyalist" of July 29 she had been mentioned as "the new steamer Niagara, built at Prescott, John Mosler, captain." In reality she had had a previous existence as a badly-built schooner, called The Union of Wellington, and had assigned herself to capsizing in the river at Prescott. Upon that, however, her ingenious owner had cut her in two, inserting an additional thirty feet between bow and stern, and had cleverly converted her into a "handsome and well-built" steam packet, "with a powerful engine." In the November following her reconstruction the boat ran aground on a reef of rocks near Poplar Point, about fifty miles from Kingston; and despite the greatest exertions to get her off that season, there she remained till the next June, when she was repaired. Soon afterwards she met and towed back to Niagara the old Frontenac, which had been maliciously set on fire and looted from her moorings.

An English author whose Canadian experiences furnished the material for several of his tales, Basil Lubbock, was born thirty-seven years ago to-day, the son of Alfred Lubbock, brother of the first Lord Avebury. After a year and a half at the Bank of England to learn business methods, he came to Canada in 1907. He travelled all over the Dominion, working at different times as a cowboy, printer, sailor, and clerk, and later made the trip over the Klondike trail to the Klondike. During the South African war he held a commission in Menn's scouts.

Agnes Lockhart, Canadian author, poet and song-writer, became the bride of William Francis Hughes at Vancouver, B. C., ten years ago to-day. Miss Lockhart was born in Halifax, N. S., and was educated in the convent, academy and college in that city. Her first volume of verse, "Gems From Scotia's Crown," was published in 1898.

On this date in 1859 the city of Halifax was visited by a conflagration which burned down fifty of the finest buildings and destroyed property worth more than a million dollars. The Roseland, from Quebec, was wrecked on this date in 1850, and a number of the crew were drowned. Dr. Francis Pufford, Lord Bishop of Montreal and Metropolitan of Canada, and one of the most distinguished of Canadian clergymen, died on this date in 1868, in his sixty-sixth year. Sixty years ago to-day the

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Anderson, William Beaumont (Ottawa); born, Ottawa, 1877; director of surveys of militia for many years.
Biggar, William Hodgins, K.C. (Montreal); born, Carrying Place, Ont., 1852; general counsel of the Grand Trunk railway; Liberal M. P. P. for West Hastings, Ont., 1890-1898.

Driggs, Rev. William, D.D. (Toronto); born, Banbridge, Ire., 1836; book steward of the Methodist church of Canada.
Coulter, Robert Miller, M. D. (Ottawa); born, Richmond Hill, Ont., 1857; deputy postmaster-general of Canada since 1897.
Gallagher, William H. (Vancouver); born, Adajilo, Simcoe, 1864; estate and financial agent; former alderman of Vancouver.
Houston, William, M. A. (Toronto); born, Lanark, Ont., 1844; editorial writer on Toronto Globe.

Leiser, Max (Victoria, B. C.); born, Kerpén, Germany, 1882; wholesale merchant and capitalist.
Lockett, George Vernon, M. D. (Vancouver); born, Georgetown, West India, 1866; hospital and jail physician for many years; now in private practice.

Lynch-Stanton, George, K.C. (Hamilton, Ont.); born, Kingston, 1855; one of the leaders of the Ontario bar; a commissioner of the National Transcontinental since 1912.

Macdonald, John W. (New Westminster, B. C.); born, Gaborous, N. S., 1865; express official in British Columbia, 1886-1910; postmaster of New Westminster since 1910.

Manley, Frederick Henry (Montreal); born, Brockville, 1875; banker in early life; now general manager of Canada Securities Company.

McKnight, Andrew, C. E. (Cumberland, B. C.); born, Kirkcubright, Scot., 1847; superintendent of Cumberland waterworks.

Meindl, Alexander George, M. D. (Winnipeg); born, Mattawa, Ont., 1881; physician and hospital lecturer.

Moffat, Frederic C. (Nelson, B. C.); born, Toronto, 1855; barrister in Ontario, 1878-1897, and at Rossland, 1897-1902; editor of Rossland Miner, 1897-1902, and of Nelson News, 1902-1908; now practising law again.

Robson, Hon. Hugh Amos, K. C. (Winnipeg); born, Barrow-in-Furness, Eng., 1871; deputy attorney-general of Northwest Territories for several years; judge of the court of King's Bench of Manitoba, 1912; now chairman of public utilities commission.

Swaisland, George Wilmet (Edmonton, B. C.); born, Brentford, Ont., 1872; manager of Molsons Bank at Edmonton.

Thompson, Norman Livingston (Saskatoon); born, Hull, Eng., 1882; architect and civil engineer.

Webb, T. Harry (Winnipeg); born, Milwaukee, Wis., 1881; accountant, auditor and company director.

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Suspension of Miss Cameron Confirmed by City Council; Alderman Makes Charge

The charge was openly made in council last night that Mayor Morley's motive in discharging, or attempting to discharge, Miss Cameron from the position of stenographer in the city clerk's office had nothing to do with Miss Cameron, but was a desire to dig another nail in City Clerk Dowler's coffin. Alderman Cuthbert made this statement in defence of Miss Cameron. In the defence of Miss Cameron, Alderman Cuthbert, who voted the other way, had declared that unless Miss Cameron went the city would lose either City Clerk Dowler or his assistant, Mr. Bradley, as there was turmoil in that office. The charge was further made that a question of economy was responsible for the mayor's action, and this he denied, but no refutation of the more serious charge was forthcoming. Several votes on motions connected with the question were taken, but the chief ones were the defeat of a motion to reinstate Miss Cameron, the carrying of a motion to make absolute the mayor's suspension and the carrying of a motion to spread upon the minutes the solicitor's report that the mayor had power to suspend only, the power to dismiss or reinstate then reverting to the next meeting of council.

The four aldermen who voted to reinstate Miss Cameron were Alderman Cuthbert, McNeill, Fullerton and Dill. The remainder all opposing. Three communications were received bearing on the matter and all were taken up together. There were the solicitor's to the effect that Miss Cameron was entitled to hold her position at the pleasure of the council, Miss Cameron's own letter admitting lateness but promising greater promptitude if reinstated, and the mayor's letter reporting on his action.

Miss Cameron said that she had been private secretary for Mayor Morley for two years and had been always later than she was now, yet he had never reproved her at that time. His worship denied this, saying that ever since she came into the city's employ he had been giving her warning for her lateness, and on the occasion had informed her that a reprimand would mean dismissal, and she had chosen the latter. What was said at the finance committee between the mayor and Alderman McNeill proved a bone of contention in the discussion, each alleging that the other quoted him inaccurately.

Alderman McNeill advised the purchase of a time clock on which all employees should be required to punch their time of arrival and departure. Mayor Morley complained that it was unfair that the engineer and other heads of departments should have more power to hire and discharge than the mayor himself. Alderman Porter reproved him for his sarcasm, at the same time expressing the opinion that it was necessary for the obtaining of effective work to endorse the mayor's action, however much he disapproved. He believed that with any other mayor Miss Cameron would be quite satisfactory. Alderman McNeill also commented on the fact that recently Mayor Morley forgot a revision court and was three-quarters of an hour late. Alderman Gleason and McCandless said lateness was a sufficient reason for the young lady's dismissal.

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ALLEN PLAYERS MAKE A WELCOME RETURN

"The Spendthrift" is Delightfully Played by Popular Stock Company

The Allen Players made a welcome re-appearance last evening at the Victoria theatre in "The Spendthrift," and although larger audiences have been known to give their plaudits to much less worthy plays and players in the city, the popular stock company was received by a theatre fairly well filled with old friends. Their loyalty and enthusiasm gave their own reward. Always good, the Allen Players are now qualified to stand with the very best touring companies that visit the city, and in the play presented last evening they found a particularly suitable medium for reintroducing themselves here.

The playbills do not tell the author, but it is impossible that the character of "The Spendthrift" could be conceived by other than an American. Even the nobility in the older countries wear hats that cost less than \$100. But the play is quite serious in intention, and takes up several very modern problems, such as the suppression of society, as a clique which but exists to dine, dress, go to expensive seats at the opera, and generally to spend more money than the other person, the purpose of marriage, and the duty of wives and husbands toward each other.

Miss Verna Felton gave a remarkably clever interpretation of Frances Ward, the vain, foolish, extravagant, pretty little spendthrift wife of Richard Ward, the money man that turns out the \$20,000 necessary for the annual upkeep of the Ward establishment in New York. Mr. Norman Fenner, a new member of the company since its last appearance here, was admirable in this somewhat difficult role, his dignity and power of reserve serving him splendidly in the dramatic conclusion of Act II. Irving Kennedy was pleasantly breezy and amusing as Monty, Dick's younger brother, and Miss Lillian Fischer was winsome and convincingly courageous as his wife.

A splendid character sketch, with a great many profound philosophies wrapped up within the lines, was that of Aunt Gretchen, the thrifty, shrewd, yet kind-hearted foster-parent of the selfish Frances. No better impersonator of the part could possibly have been found than Mrs. Allen, whose acting was one of the outstanding suc-

cesses of the evening. A very short part, but one that badly done would have marred the entire scene, was that taken by Mr. Byron Egan, who, as the biased and cynical man-of-the-world, provided one of the highly dramatic moments of the evening. Another old member of the company, Mr. Chas. Connors, was sincere and efficient in his decidedly typical manner, as Dick's friend Philip Cartwright, and Miss Patterson was quietly unobtrusive as the maid Elsie.

The company has improved immensely, and the production last evening was undoubtedly one of the most finished that has been given by them here. A modern play, there were many lines within it that an amateurish actor would have ruined. As it was, dignity, a pleasing restraint and sense of the serious nature of the problem gave to each part its true value, and the production was refined despite the vulgarity of one phase of society which it depicted.

It is to be hoped that before the Allen Players visit the city again that a certain faction of its public will have risen to a comprehension of such a play—this, judging by their crude ideas of what constitutes a laughing point, not being universal as yet.

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HUMOR PREDOMINATES

"Empress" Has Fine List of Gloom Dispelling Vaudeville Acts—Two Playlets.

A nicely varied bill is offered at the Empress theatre this week, the offerings including two excellent little playlets. The headliner is vaudeville's latest comedy, "When Women Rule," being presumably an episode of the year 2013, when the petticoat rules the world in very truth. The sketch shows Florence de Forest, played by Louise Ripley, as candidate for mayor of New York. At the moment when she is certain of victory, she is confronted by an old "flame," who contrives to make things unpleasant. The whole playlet is a very laughable and enjoyable one. "Keeping an Appointment," a merry musical comedy alliance in which Aubrey Pringle and Violet Allen present a new way of dressing for a swell event, is as funny a farce as has been seen for weeks, the finish being particularly comical.

"Three Lively Lads" are all there with musical numbers and choruses and dances, while the weird contortions of Dora Early in her combined number with Carl Byall sent the audience into shrieks of laughter. The Lee Brothers presented a "nimble-footed novelty," which included some

excellent dancing. The Gaumont pictures were as usual uniformly good. Altogether the show is one which would drive dull care from the brow of any man dolefully inclined.

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